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TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

The ability to make the right decision at the right time is often the difference between success or failure - profit or loss. To meet a demand for practical assistance in the area of decision making, it is of vital importance that we have the basic, factual information.

The concept of developing the industrial segment of our economy, along with the agribusiness economy, is fundamental and sound, but we should not lose sight of the fact that the prosperity of Mississippi has long been largely dependent on agriculture. It has been the products of our soil that provided the foundation upon which our State and our Nation have been built. It is Agriculture which supplies our industry and commerce, feeds and clothes, not only our own people, but many of the hungry of the world.

We in the Department of Agriculture and Commerce are fully aware of the importance of Agriculture in the total economy and pledge our efforts to further develop our State's greatest industry. One of the many important responsibilities of your Department is that of helping to provide you with facts on Mississippi agriculture. This publication contains a comprehensive record of Mississippi Agriculture information for the period 1978-1979. The report was prepared by the Mississippi Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, which combines the cooperative efforts of the Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce and the Economics and Statistics Service of the United States Department of Agriculture.

The compilation of this information was made possible through the voluntary cooperation of many thousands of our farmers, ranchers and business people, for which we are grateful. As your Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce, I am happy to have a part in presenting this bulletin as another in a long series of publications documenting the history and growth of our great agricultural industry. In this day of rapid changes, we cannot over-stress the importance of having good information - to measure our progress and guide us in developing sound programs for the future.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner

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Despite a hurricane, numerous tornadoes, and rainfall far above average, 1979 was a good year for agriculture production in Mississippi. Soybeans set a record yield and cotton with the best yield in 14 years was the fourth highest yield ever recorded.

The voluntary reports of producers of these and other agricultural products, the suppliers, processors and others engaged in Agribusiness in Mississippi have made this edition of Mississippi Agricultural Statistics possible.

I wish to express my thanks, and the thanks of the many users of these data, to those who have faithfully reported throughout the year.

Sincerely,

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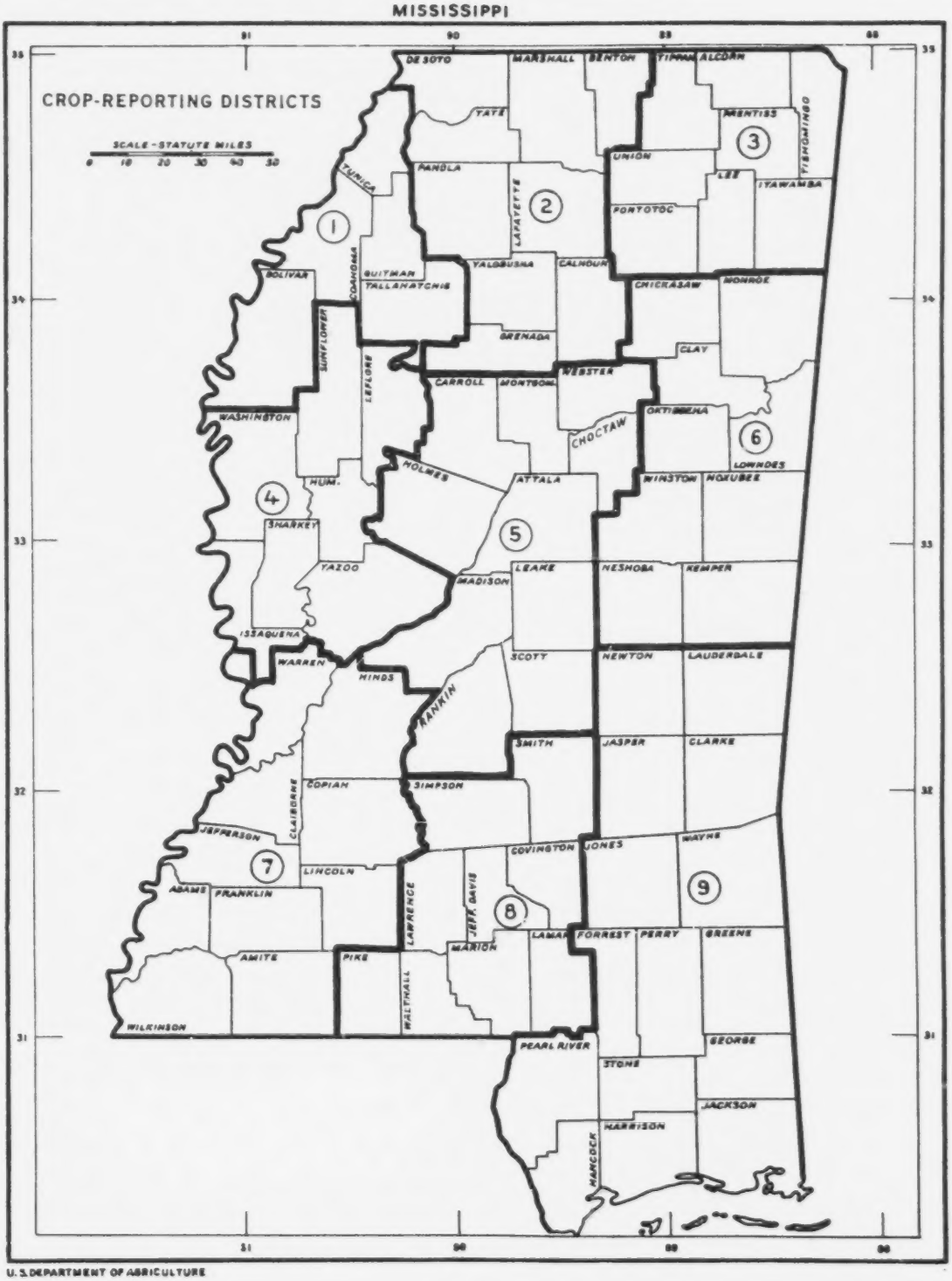

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RANK IN AGRICULTURE: MISSISSIPPI'S RANK AMONG STATES

1979

CROPS	PRODUCTION	UNIT	RANK
Cotton	1,437,000	Bales	3
All Rice	8,384,000	Cwt.	5
Sweetpotatoes	792,000	Cwt.	5
Watermelons	1,035,000	Cwt.	5
All Pecans	2,500,000	Pounds	8
Soybeans for Beans	118,900,000	Bushels	8
Peanuts for Nuts	16,185,000	Pounds	10
Sorghum for Grain	1,452,000	Bushels	17
All Hay	1,287,000	Tons	30
Peaches	3,000,000	Pounds	31
Corn for Grain	5,720,000	Bushels	32
All Wheat	3,680,000	Bushels	32

LIVESTOCK	PRODUCTION OR NUMBER	UNIT	RANK
Broilers	276,858,000	Number	5
Eggs	1,653,000,000	Number	15
All Cattle and Calves 1/	1,810,000	Number	23
Beef Cows 1/	901,000	Number	14
Milk Cows	100,000	Number	28
Milk	814,000	Pounds	33
Hogs and Pigs	440,000	Number	22

1/ As of January 1, 1980

VALUE OF EXPORT SHARES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, OCTOBER-SEPTEMBER 1978-79 1/

State, National, year ending September 30	Wheat and products	Rice	Feed-grains and products 2/	Cotton, including linters	Soybeans and products	Peanuts and oil	Cotton-seed oil	Sunflower seed	Tobacco, unmanufactured
	--Million dollars--								
Mississippi:									
1979	5.8	58.7	2.2	242.4	333.2	1.1	24.2	---	---
1978	7.7	39.2	1.6	195.3	285.5	.9	22.8	---	---
United States:									
1979	4,862.0	884.2	7,026.1	1,909.0	7,515.0	284.8	197.5	372.3	1,292.2
1978	4,138.7	872.6	5,983.1	1,706.9	6,410.9	290.4	205.6	226.1	1,131.8

State, National year ending September 30	Fruits and prepara-tions	Nuts and prepara-tions	Vegetables and prepara-	Dairy products	Meats and products	Hides and skins	Poultry products	Lard and tallow	Other	Total
	--Million dollars--									
Mississippi:										
1979	.2	.5	---	.1	9.0	12.7	19.5	9.1	52.5	771.2
1978	.2	.3	---	.1	7.3	8.6	17.3	7.9	43.3	638.0
United States:										
1979	1,042.4	327.0	756.2	116.1	844.1	1,302.7	368.1	704.8	2,178.4	31,982.8
1978	976.5	287.7	648.9	155.8	687.6	823.6	331.7	573.8	1,854.5	27,306.2

--- Not available or zero.

1/ The export shares were derived from the contribution of State and region to national output and/or sales. They do not show actual exports, but instead reflect the common stake of State and region in the national export total.

2/ Includes barley, corn, oats, and sorghum grain.

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS, GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND VALUE OF HOME CONSUMPTION, MISSISSIPPI 1977-1979

COMMODITY	1977 1/	1978 1/	1979 2/	1979 Value Percent of Total
	- - - - - Thousand Dollars - - - - -			Percent
Livestock and Products	793,650	906,765	891,662	42.8
Cattle and Calves	295,220	351,123	318,881	15.3
Hogs	32,738	42,884	43,161	2.1
Dairy Products	85,748	91,278	101,289	4.9
Broilers	240,362	286,289	288,206	13.8
Eggs	95,587	87,275	91,316	4.4
Farm Chickens	5,994	6,006	6,747	.3
Other Livestock	38,001	41,910	42,062	2.0
Crops	896,789	1,147,578	1,191,844	57.2
Rice	38,439	73,251	75,681	3.6
Wheat	8,069	3,756	12,026	.6
Hay	6,087	6,916	7,427	.4
Corn	1,709	4,966	2,387	.1
Sorghum Grain	1,075	770	1,816	.1
Oats	314	4/	4/	
Cotton Lint	359,038	376,290	324,131	15.6
Cottonseed	43,134	60,469	59,992	2.9
Soybeans	383,452	565,751	654,337	31.4
Peanuts	2,369	3,166	3,174	.2
Sweetpotatoes	5,651	7,392	7,647	.4
Cucumbers	1,237	824	717	*
Watermelons	1,688	3,659	4,057	.2
Potatoes	522	756	756	*
Misc. Vegetables	10,063	10,018	10,018	.5
Fruits and Nuts				
Pecans	5,680	5,405	1,542	.1
Peaches	544	640	492	*
Other Fruits & Nuts	237	204	204	*
Other Crops				
Forest Products	19,000	14,000	15,400	.7
Greenhouse Nursery	7,132	7,845	8,630	.4
Other Field Crops	1,349	1,500	1,410	.1
ALL COMMODITIES	1,690,439	2,054,343	2,083,506	100.0 3/
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS	23,853	29,550	12,887	
TOTAL INCLUDING GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS	1,714,292	2,083,893	2,096,393	
Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced	37,067	34,133	33,389	
Cash Receipts Plus Government Payments Plus Home Consumption	1,751,359	2,118,026	2,129,782	

1/ Revised. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ May not add due to rounding. 4/ Included in Other Crops.
* Less than .1 percent.

FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES, MISSISSIPPI 1977-79

YEAR	Current farm operating expenses						
	Feed	Livestock	Seed	Fertilizer and Lime	Repairs and operation of capital items	Hired Labor	Miscel-laneous
	Million Dollars						
1977	211.5	53.8	58.1	86.0	169.8	150.6	347.7
1978	209.6	56.6	62.0	84.4	182.4	154.1	401.5
1979	238.4	68.9	61.4	80.4	218.7	161.4	483.8

* Fuel included in repairs and operation of capital items.

YEAR	Total current farm Operating Expense	Depreciation and other consumption of farm capital	Taxes on farm property	Interest on farm mortgage debt	Net Rent to nonoperator landlords	Total production expense
	Million Dollars					
1977	1,077.6	251.9	23.0	83.0	52.6	1,488.0
1978	1,150.6	269.3	24.0	93.4	63.8	1,601.1
1979	1,313.0	302.1	25.3	109.9	68.1	1,818.4

REALIZED GROSS INCOME AND NET INCOME FROM FARMING, MISSISSIPPI 1977-1979 1/

YEAR	Cash receipts from farm marketings	Govern-ment payments	Non-money income	Other farm income	Realized gross farm income	Farm produc-tion expenses	Realized net farm income 2/	Net change in farm inven-tories	Total net farm income 2/
	Million Dollars								
1977	1,690.4	23.9	139.4	24.3	1,878.0	1,488.0	390.0	61.5	451.6
1978	2,054.3	29.6	152.7	26.6	2,263.1	1,601.1	662.0	-160.9	501.2
1979	2,083.5	12.9	167.7	33.1	2,297.2	1,818.4	478.8	223.8	702.6

1/ Details may not add to totald sue to rounding. 2/ Of farm operators.

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS, MISSISSIPPI, 1975-1980

YEAR	FARMS		LAND-IN-FARMS		AVERAGE SIZE OF FARM	
	Old Definition 1/	New Definition 2/	Old Definition 1/	New Definition 2/	Old Definition 1/	New Definition 2/
	Thousands		Thousand Acres		Acres	
1975	80	68	16,400	15,500	205	228
1976	79	65	16,300	15,200	206	234
1977	79	61	16,300	15,000	206	243
1978	77	56	16,200	14,800	210	264
1979	4/	52	4/	14,700	4/	283
1980 3/	4/	48	4/	14,500	4/	302

1/ Places of 10 or more acres that had annual sales of agricultural products of $50 or more and places of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of $250 or more. 2/ Places which had annual sales of agricultural products of $1,000 or more. Series initiated with 1975. 3/ Preliminary. 4/ Series discontinued.

MISSISSIPPI FARM REAL ESTATE VALUE

YEAR	VALUE PER ACRE	BUILDING VALUE		VALUE PER FARM		TOTAL VALUE	
	Dollars	Million Dollars		Dollars		Million Dollars	
		Old Def.	New Def.	Old Def.	New Def.	Old Def.	New Def.
1975	379	1,200	1,134	77,700	86,400	6,216	5,874
1976	381	1,186	1,106	78,600	89,100	6,210	5,791
1977	404	1,245	1,145	83,400	99,300	6,585	6,060
1978	464	1,406	1,284	97,600	122,600	7,517	6,867
1979	520	1/	1,414	1/	147,000	1/	7,644
1980	629	1/	1,669	1/	190,000	1/	9,121

1/ Series discontinued.

MISSISSIPPI: USUAL PLANTING AND HARVESTING DATES BY CROPS AND PRINCIPAL PRODUCING AREAS

CROP	Usual Planting Dates	Usual Harvesting Dates			Principal Producing Districts
		Begin	Most Active	End	
Corn:					
Grain	Apr. 1-May 31	Sept. 1	Oct. 15-Nov. 15	Dec. 10	Statewide
Silage	May 1-June 25	July 20	Aug. 15-Sept.15	Sept.25	Statewide
Forage	May 1-June 10	Aug. 1	Sept. 1-Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Statewide
Cotton	Apr. 5-May 25	Sept.20	Oct. 5-Nov. 5	Dec. 10	1, 2, 4, 5
Hay:					
Alfalfa		May 15		Sept.30	1, 3, 4, 6
Clo-Tim		May 20		July 31	5, 6, 7, 8
Lespedeza		Aug. 1		Oct. 15	2, 3, 5, 6
Oats:					
Fall sown	Oct. 1-Nov.15	May 25	June 5-June 15	June 25	1, 4, 5
Spring sown	Feb.15-Mar.15	June 1	June 10-June 20	June 30	Statewide
Peanuts for nuts	Apr.15-May 15	Aug. 20	Sept. 5-Sept.20	Oct. 10	1, 4
Rice	Apr.15-May 31	Sept.15	Oct. 1-Oct. 15	Nov. 15	1, 2, 4
Sorghum:					
Grain	Apr.25-July 5	Sept.10	Oct. 10-Nov. 10	Nov. 20	4, 5, 6, 7
Silage	Apr.25-July 5	July 15	Aug. 15-Sept.15	Sept.20	5, 6, 9
Soybeans	May 1-July 5	Sept.20	Oct. 15-Nov. 15	Dec. 10	Statewide
Wheat, winter	Oct. 1-Nov.20	May 20	June 5-June 15	June 25	1, 2, 4, 7
VEGETABLES:					
Cucumbers	Mar.20-Apr.30	May 15	June 10-July 15	July 31	1, 3, 5, 6 7, 8, 9
Watermelons	Mar.10-May 25	June 20	June 30-Aug. 10	Sept.10	2, 3, 5, 6 8, 9

CORN: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION

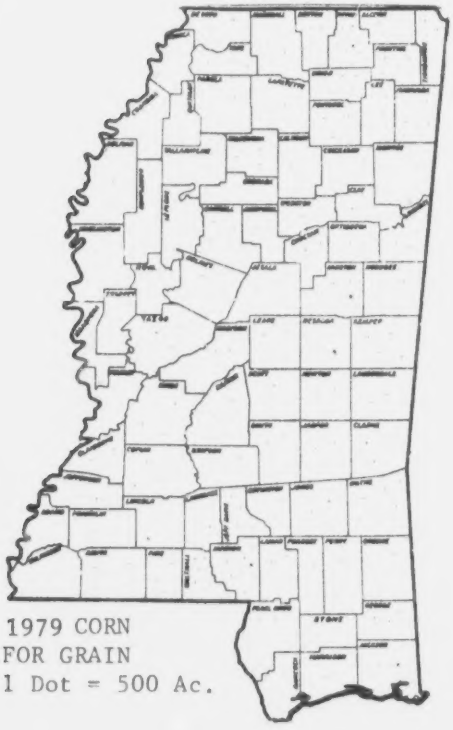
YEAR	Acreage All Purposes		Utilization of Harvested Acreage			Yield per Acre		Production	
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Grain	Silage	Forage 1/	Grain	Silage	Grain	Silage
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bu.	Tons	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Tons
1977	250	225	160	60	5	36.0	11.0	5,760	660
1978	215	210	135	70	5	56.0	12.5	7,560	875
1979	190	186	110	72	4	52.0	12.5	5,720	900

1/ Includes corn hogged, grazed, and that cut and fed without removing ears.

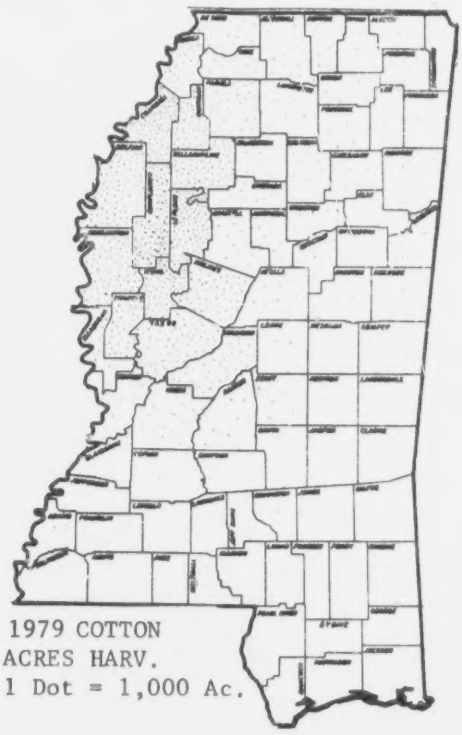
CORN FOR GRAIN: PRODUCTION, FARM USE, SALES AND VALUE

YEAR	Used for Feed and Seed on Farms Where Produced	Sold	Season Average Price 1/ Per Bu.	Value of	
				Production for Grain	Sales
	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.
1977	4,954	806	2.00	11,520	1,612
1978	6,426	1,134	2.65	20,034	3,005
1979	4,919	801	3.10	17,732	2,483

1/ Does not include Government payments.



1979 CORN
FOR GRAIN
1 Dot = 500 Ac.



1979 COTTON
ACRES HARV.
1 Dot = 1,000 Ac.

COTTON LINT: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

YEAR	ACREAGE		Yield per Harv. Acre	Production 1/ 2/	Season Average Price 3/	Value of Production
	PLANTED	HARVESTED				
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Lbs. Lint	1,000 Bales	Cents Per Lb.	1,000 Dol.
1977	1,380	1,360	581	1,645	52.5	414,540
1978	1,180	1,150	575	1,378	60.0	396,864
1979	1,050	1,030	670	1,437	63.3	436,618

1/ 480 lb. net weight bales.
2/ Allowance made for interstate movement of seed cotton for ginning.
3/ Average price includes allowance for outstanding loans but does not include Government payments.

COTTONSEED: PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Production 1/	Sales to Oil Mills	Other 2/	Season Average Price	Value of Production	Value of Sales
	1,000 Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1977	610	560	50	77.50	47,275	43,400
1978	522	489	33	123.00	64,206	60,147
1979	553	530	23	133.00	73,549	70,490

1/ Computed from lint production.
2/ Includes planting seed, exports, inter-farm sales, shrinkage, losses and other uses.

COTTON GINNED PRIOR TO SPECIFIED DATES 1/

YEAR OF GROWTH	Bales of cotton ginned prior to - -											Total Ginned (running) Bales
	Sep 1	Sep 15	Oct 1	Oct 15	Nov 1	Nov 15	Dec 1	Dec 15	Jan 1	Jan 15	Feb 1	
1977	--	92,486	416,970	869,648	1,346,435	1,483,255	1,538,247	1,562,284	1,568,368	1,571,177	1,572,759	1,577,454
1978	--	12,606	275,723	782,444	1,174,459	1,288,262	1,314,935	1,320,627	1,322,582	1,322,911	1,323,370	1,324,362
1979	--	12	1,324	109,744	550,687	889,651	1,177,293	1,348,718	1,377,529	1,383,045	1,387,445	1,391,272

1/ Reported by U.S. Census.
--Represents zero.

COTTON GINNINGS: PERCENT GINNED TO SPECIFIED DATES 1/

YEAR OF GROWTH	Percent of total cotton ginned prior to - -											Average Net Wt. Per Bale	Number of Gins	
	Sep 1	Sep 15	Oct 1	Oct 15	Nov 1	Nov 15	Dec 1	Dec 15	Jan 1	Jan 15	Feb 1		Operating	Idle
												Pounds		
1977	--	5.9	26.4	55.1	85.4	94.0	97.5	99.0	99.4	99.6	99.7	500.4	367	48
1978	--	1.0	20.8	59.1	88.7	97.3	99.3	99.7	99.9	99.9	99.9	499.6	334	54
1979	--	(z)	.1	7.9	39.6	63.9	84.6	96.9	99.0	99.4	99.7	496.4	314	45

1/ Reported by U.S. Census.
--Represents zero.
(z) Less than .05 percent.

HAY, ALL: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	ALL HAY							
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Fed to Livestock	Sold	Season Average Price	Value of-- Production	Sales
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.
1977	662	1.77	1,172	1,037	135	46.00	53,912	6,210
1978	645	1.85	1,193	1,050	143	50.00	59,650	7,150
1979	660	1.95	1,287	1,120	167	45.00	57,915	7,515

OATS: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Acres Planted 1/	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Feed and Seed	Sold	Season Average Price Bu.	Value of Production	Value of Sales
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	
1977	30	13	45.0	585	363	222	1.35	790	300
1978 2/									

1/ Includes planted in preceding fall.
2/ Estimates discontinued after 1977 crop.

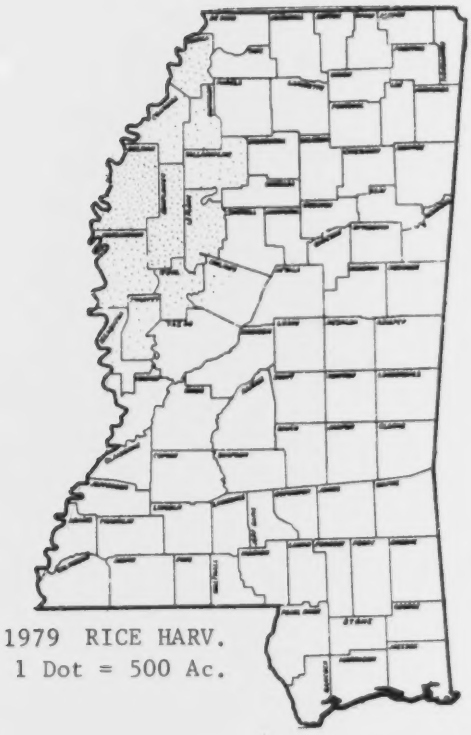
PEANUTS: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Acres Planted	Acres Harv. For Nuts	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	1/ Used on Farms Where Produced	Sold	Season Average Price Per Lb.	Value of Production	Value of Sales
	1,000 Acres			1,000 Lbs.			Cents	1,000 Dollars	
1977	7.5	7.0	1.65	11,550	554	10,996	22.0	2,541	2,419
1978	8.3	8.0	2.00	16,000	544	15,456	21.0	3,360	3,246
1979	8.5	8.3	1.95	15,355	507	14,848	21.0	3,225	3,118

1/ Includes seed, fed, lost and home use.

RICE: ACREAGE, YIELD AND PRODUCTION

YEAR	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	1,000 cwt.
1977	112	111	4,000	4,440
1978	220	215	4,250	9,138
1979	210	207	4,050	8,384



1979 RICE HARV.
1 Dot = 500 Ac.

RICE: DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Used on Farms Where Produced	Sold	Season Av. Price 1/ per 100 lbs.	Value of Production	Value of Sales
	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	
1977	22	4,418	10.20	45,288	45,064
1978	46	9,092	7.98	72,921	72,554
1979	42	8,342	11.00*	92,224	91,762

* U.S. season average price. State price not available.
1/ Includes allowance for unrecorded loans and purchases by the Government valued at the average loan and purchase rates.

SORGHUMS: ACREAGE FOR ALL PURPOSES, ACREAGE HARVESTED FOR GRAIN, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	ACREAGE ALL PURPOSES		SORGHUM FOR GRAIN						VALUE	
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested 1/	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Feed & Seed On Farms Where Grown	Sold	Season Av. Price Per Bu.	Of Production	Of Sales
	1,000 Acres		1,000 Acres	Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	
1977	60	55	24	32.0	768	276	492	1.65	1,267	812
1978	65	64	21	38.0	798	303	495	2.16	1,724	1,069
1979	75	74	33	44.0	1,452	508	944	2.24	3,252	2,115

1/ Excluding sorghum for sirup.

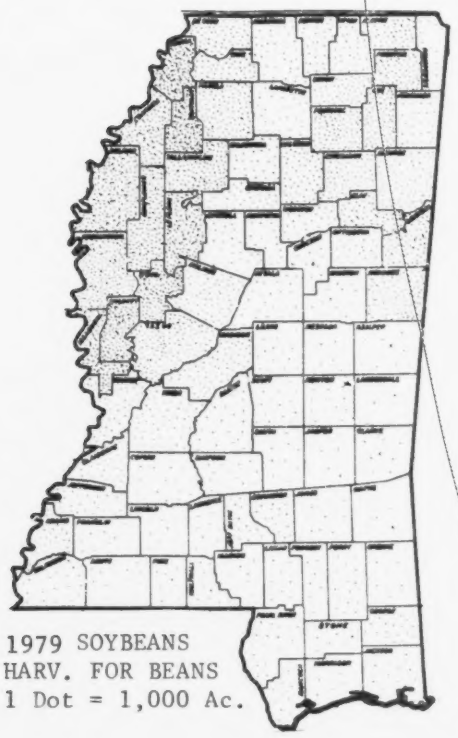
SORGHUMS: ACREAGE HARVESTED FOR SILAGE AND FORAGE, YIELD AND PRODUCTION

YEAR	SORGHUM FOR SILAGE			FORAGE 2/
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Acres Harvested
	1,000 Acres	1/ Tons	1,000 Tons 1/	1,000 Acres
1977	27	12.5	338	4
1978	35	13.0	455	8
1979	35	13.5	473	6

1/ Green Weight.
2/ Includes sorghum grazed and that cut and fed without removing head.

SOYBEANS: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION

YEAR	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bu.	1,000 Bu.
1977	3,750	3,650	21.5	78,475
1978	3,900	3,800	21.5	81,700
1979	4,200	4,100	29.0	118,900



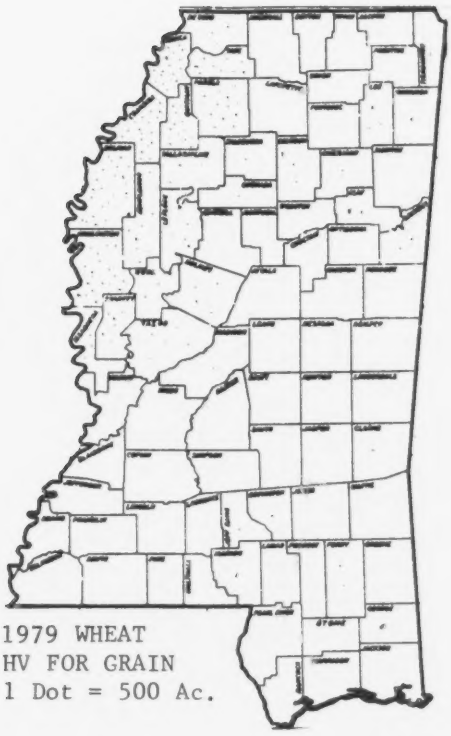
1979 SOYBEANS
HARV. FOR BEANS
1 Dot = 1,000 Ac.

SOYBEANS: DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Used On Farms Where Produced	Sold	Season Average Price	Value	
				Of Production	Of Sales
	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dollars Per Bu.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.
1977	1,099	77,376	6.18	484,976	478,184
1978	1,062	80,638	6.63	541,671	534,630
1979	1,665	117,235	6.25	743,125	732,719

WHEAT: ACREAGE, YIELD AND PRODUCTION

YEAR	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harv.Acre	Production
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bu.	1,000 Bu.
1977	140	105	34.0	3,570
1978	100	65	31.0	2,015
1979	160	115	32.0	3,680



1979 WHEAT
HV FOR GRAIN
1 Dot = 500 Ac.

WHEAT: DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	1/ Used on Farms Where Grown	Sold	Season Av.Price Per Bu.	Value of Production	Value of Sales
	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	
1977	257	3,313	2.00	7,140	6,626
1978	206	1,809	2.95	5,944	5,337
1979	258	3,422	4.10	15,088	14,030

1/ For seed and fed to livestock.

GRAIN STOCKS

YEAR	STOCKS ON FARMS (000 Bu.)				STOCKS IN OFF FARM POSITIONS (000 Bu.)				TOTAL STOCKS-ALL POSITIONS (000 Bu.)			
	JAN.1	APR.1	JUNE 1	OCT.1	JAN.1	APR.1	JUNE 1	OCT.1	JAN.1	APR.1	JUNE 1	OCT.1
						CORN						
1977	3,961	1,536	1,132	525	1,117	998	685	301	5,078	2,534	1,817	826
1978	2,650	749	461	346	1,273	*	1,353	99	3,923	*	1,814	445
1979	2,646	1,210	718	416	1,007	1,209	1,697	*	3,653	2,419	2,415	*
1980 1/	2,860				1,328				4,188			
						OATS						
1977	82	33	14	170	345	150	175	*	427	183	189	*
1978	117	47	18	--	314	108	111	*	431	155	129	*
1979	2/				519	128	152	250	519	128	152	250
1980 1/					357				357			
						SORGHUM GRAIN						
1977	637	76	30	6	155	254	115	--	792	330	145	6
1978	346	23	4	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
1979	447	120	40	12	50	41	*	*	497	161	*	*
1980 1/	610				51				661			
						WHEAT						
1977	52	7	3	214	535	135	124	476	587	142	127	690
1978	89	36	25	91	250	*	51	*	339	*	76	*
1979	71	40	10	110	162	*	*	301	233	*	*	411
1980 1/	55				117				172			

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Beginning with the 1978 crop, Mississippi no longer estimates On-Farm Storage as Production estimate discontinued after 1977 crop. * Unallocated and/or not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

SOYBEAN STOCKS

YEAR	STOCKS ON FARMS (000 Bu.)				STOCKS IN OFF FARM POSITIONS (000 Bu.)				TOTAL STOCKS-ALL POSITIONS (000 Bu.)			
	JAN.1	APR.1	JUNE 1	SEP.1	JAN.1	APR.1	JUNE 1	SEP.1	JAN.1	APR.1	JUNE 1	SEP.1
1977	14,300	6,435	2,145	358	31,568	13,845	7,189	489	45,868	20,280	9,334	847
1978	24,327	7,848	2,747	392	25,009	9,613	4,670	*	49,336	17,461	7,417	*
1979	25,327	9,804	4,494	1,226	33,927	13,896	5,684	1,580	59,254	23,700	10,178	2,806
1980	41,615				39,444				81,059			

1/ Preliminary.
* Unallocated and/or not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

HAY: STOCKS ON FARMS

YEAR	STOCKS ON FARMS, JANUARY 1 (1,000 Tons)	STOCKS ON FARMS, MAY 1 (1,000 Tons)
1977	768	73
1978	844	82
1979	847	143
1980	927	

MISSISSIPPI RICE: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

COUNTY	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Cwt.
Bolivar	65,000	64,400	4,056	2,612,000
Coahoma	7,400	7,300	4,233	309,000
Quitman	5,400	5,300	4,208	223,000
Tallahatchie	7,300	7,200	3,806	274,000
Tunica	13,400	13,200	4,205	555,000
Panola	1,200	1,200	4,750	57,000
Humphreys	10,100	9,900	3,818	378,000
Issaquena	2,000	2,000	3,750	75,000
Leflore	19,100	18,900	4,090	773,000
Sharkey	6,000	5,900	4,203	248,000
Sunflower	37,000	36,600	3,770	1,380,000
Washington	26,600	26,300	4,342	1,142,000
Holmes	2,700	2,600	4,000	104,000
All Others 1/	6,800	6,200	4,097	254,000
STATE TOTAL	210,000	207,000	4,050	8,384,000

1/ Counties not published separately: Adams, DeSoto, Grenada, Hancock, Tate and Yazoo.

1978

COUNTY	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Cwt.
Bolivar	68,800	67,600	4,231	2,860,000
Coahoma	7,900	7,800	4,487	350,000
Quitman	5,900	5,800	4,483	260,000
Tallahatchie	10,900	10,600	3,821	405,000
Tunica	15,000	14,700	4,252	625,000
Humphreys	9,600	9,400	4,298	404,000
Issaquena	1,600	1,600	4,500	72,000
Leflore	23,100	22,700	4,097	930,000
Sharkey	5,700	5,500	4,400	242,000
Sunflower	34,700	34,100	4,299	1,466,000
Washington	24,100	23,700	4,451	1,055,000
Holmes	3,000	2,900	4,138	120,000
All Others 1/	9,700	8,600	4,058	349,000
STATE TOTAL	220,000	215,000	4,250	9,138,000

1/ Counties not published separately: Adams, DeSoto, Grenada, Hancock, Panola, Tate, Union and Yazoo.

MISSISSIPPI CORN: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

County	Planted For All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Other Counties	2,000	1,700	47.8	81,200
DISTRICT I	2,000	1,700	47.8	81,200
Benton	2,500	1,100	60.7	66,800
Calhoun	2,100	900	46.1	41,500
De Soto	4,100	1,300	96.3	125,200
Grenada	900	700	47.0	32,900
Lafayette	1,400	1,000	45.1	45,100
Marshall	2,900	900	52.2	47,000
Panola	2,500	900	67.3	60,600
Tate	3,400	1,100	71.7	78,900
Yalobusha	1,700	1,300	51.4	66,800
DISTRICT II	21,500	9,200	61.4	564,800
Alcorn	2,200	1,400	66.1	92,500
Itawamba	4,000	3,800	61.7	234,400
Lee	4,200	2,000	65.6	131,100
Pontotoc	3,100	1,300	65.3	84,900
Prentiss	3,200	2,500	53.7	134,300
Tippah	6,100	5,500	54.0	296,800
Tishomingo	2,400	1,500	53.3	80,000
Union	4,800	4,000	68.3	273,100
DISTRICT III	30,000	22,000	60.3	1,327,100
Yazoo	2,200	1,800	81.9	147,500
Other Counties	800	400	74.8	29,900
DISTRICT IV	3,000	2,200	80.6	177,400
Attala	3,000	1,200	47.2	56,600
Carroll	6,900	2,800	55.9	156,400
Choctaw	2,000	1,200	31.0	37,200
Holmes	2,000	800	70.1	56,100
Leake	2,800	1,200	33.3	40,000
Madison	1,700	800	60.5	48,400
Montgomery	2,200	1,100	47.5	52,300
Rankin	1,800	1,100	50.9	56,000
Scott	1,700	800	55.9	44,700
Webster	2,400	1,100	32.7	36,000
DISTRICT V	26,500	12,100	48.2	583,700
Chickasaw	800	500	36.6	18,300
Clay	1,300	1,000	30.9	30,900
Kemper	2,500	1,800	35.1	63,100
Lowndes	1,500	1,100	49.6	54,600
Monroe	2,000	1,500	51.3	77,000
Neshoba	2,000	1,400	40.9	57,300
Noxubee	3,500	1,100	74.3	81,700
Oktibbeha	1,400	800	50.5	40,400
Winston	5,000	3,800	47.9	182,100
DISTRICT VI	20,000	13,000	46.6	605,400

MISSISSIPPI CORN: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

County	Planted All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Amite	3,400	2,300	80.8	185,900
Claiborne	2,000	1,100	59.6	65,600
Copiah	2,600	1,900	51.8	98,400
Franklin	1,100	700	66.6	46,600
Hinds	5,300	2,500	41.5	103,700
Jefferson	900	800	48.6	38,900
Lincoln	2,600	1,900	38.8	73,800
Wilkinson	2,100	1,000	36.4	36,400
Other Counties	1,000	600	54.8	32,900
DISTRICT VII	21,000	12,800	53.3	682,200
Covington	1,700	1,300	33.8	44,000
Jefferson Davis	2,600	2,100	57.9	121,500
Lamar	3,000	1,800	33.1	59,600
Lawrence	2,200	1,300	33.3	43,300
Marion	5,300	4,000	37.5	150,000
Pike	6,000	3,200	78.5	251,200
Simpson	2,600	1,000	41.2	41,200
Smith	2,300	1,600	40.8	65,200
Walthall	4,800	2,700	41.6	112,200
DISTRICT VIII	30,500	19,000	46.7	888,200
Clarke	3,300	1,000	39.0	39,000
Forrest	1,500	500	68.6	34,300
George	2,700	1,100	50.0	55,000
Greene	3,300	1,400	32.0	44,800
Hancock	1,300	900	40.0	36,000
Harrison	900	500	43.0	21,500
Jackson	1,800	800	36.0	28,800
Jasper	2,000	1,300	39.3	51,100
Jones	2,500	1,400	57.1	80,000
Lauderdale	1,200	800	40.3	32,200
Newton	4,000	1,200	38.8	46,600
Pearl River	3,100	2,100	43.1	90,500
Perry	2,400	1,600	57.6	92,200
Stone	1,300	500	51.8	25,900
Wayne	4,200	2,900	45.6	132,100
DISTRICT IX	35,500	18,000	45.0	810,000
STATE	190,000	110,000	52.0	5,720,000

MISSISSIPPI CORN: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1978

County	Planted For All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Bolivar	1,000	500	76.6	38,300
Other Counties	2,000	1,500	57.8	86,700
DISTRICT I	3,000	2,000	62.5	125,000
Benton	2,700	1,300	64.8	84,300
Calhoun	2,500	900	51.1	46,000
De Soto	4,500	1,300	84.6	110,000
Grenada	1,000	500	40.0	20,000
Lafayette	1,800	1,000	38.4	38,400
Marshall	3,000	1,000	45.1	45,100
Panola	3,000	1,100	76.0	83,600
Tate	4,300	1,500	63.4	95,100
Yalobusha	1,800	1,400	55.4	77,500
DISTRICT II	24,600	10,000	60.0	600,000
Alcorn	2,500	1,500	55.7	83,600
Itawamba	4,500	4,200	55.0	231,000
Lee	4,500	4,000	58.6	234,400
Pontotoc	3,500	1,400	72.9	102,000
Prentiss	3,500	2,600	50.3	130,900
Tippah	6,800	4,900	48.3	236,500
Tishomingo	2,500	1,400	51.1	71,600
Union	4,800	4,000	60.0	240,000
DISTRICT III	32,600	24,000	55.4	1,330,000
Yazoo	2,500	2,000	64.0	128,000
Other Counties	1,500	1,000	77.0	77,000
DISTRICT IV	4,000	3,000	68.3	205,000
Attala	3,200	1,700	56.2	95,600
Carroll	7,800	6,100	62.4	380,500
Choctaw	2,400	1,500	40.3	60,400
Holmes	2,500	2,000	88.0	176,100
Leake	3,000	2,600	48.4	125,800
Madison	2,000	1,800	33.6	60,400
Montgomery	2,700	1,500	57.1	85,600
Rankin	2,000	1,700	53.3	90,600
Scott	2,000	1,500	49.0	73,500
Webster	2,600	1,600	50.3	80,500
DISTRICT V	30,200	22,000	55.9	1,229,000
Chickasaw	1,000	500	42.4	21,200
Clay	1,500	800	34.5	27,600
Kemper	2,600	2,000	45.5	91,000
Lowndes	1,500	1,100	34.3	37,700
Monroe	2,500	1,700	57.4	97,500
Neshoba	2,500	2,300	60.9	140,000
Noxubee	4,000	1,300	65.4	85,000
Oktibbeha	1,500	600	68.3	41,000
Winston	4,000	3,700	47.3	175,000
DISTRICT VI	21,100	14,000	51.1	716,000

MISSISSIPPI CORN: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1978

County	Planted For All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Amite	4,600	2,800	71.4	200,000
Claiborne	2,500	1,300	51.2	66,500
Copiah	2,500	1,900	55.0	104,500
Franklin	1,200	700	62.0	43,400
Hinds	6,000	1,800	50.0	90,000
Jefferson	1,000	700	36.6	25,600
Lincoln	3,000	1,300	45.5	59,100
Wilkinson	2,000	800	41.4	33,100
Other Counties	1,100	700	54.0	37,800
DISTRICT VII	23,900	12,000	55.0	660,000
Covington	2,000	1,800	39.0	70,200
Jefferson Davis	3,000	2,000	41.0	82,000
Lamar	3,200	2,800	43.9	123,000
Lawrence	3,000	2,300	58.3	134,000
Marion	5,500	3,500	70.9	248,000
Pike	7,000	3,200	95.0	304,000
Simpson	2,800	1,900	56.3	107,000
Smith	2,500	1,900	30.0	57,000
Walthall	6,000	4,600	58.7	269,800
DISTRICT VIII	35,000	24,000	58.1	1,395,000
Clarke	3,800	1,400	39.4	55,100
Forrest	1,700	900	61.1	55,000
George	3,000	2,400	95.0	228,000
Greene	2,800	1,400	46.0	64,400
Hancock	1,500	800	49.3	39,400
Harrison	1,000	500	57.4	28,700
Jackson	2,000	700	57.4	40,200
Jasper	2,200	1,700	42.0	71,400
Jones	3,000	1,600	40.0	64,000
Lauderdale	1,500	1,200	39.0	46,800
Newton	4,300	1,500	40.0	60,000
Pearl River	4,500	3,600	64.2	231,000
Perry	2,500	1,300	40.0	52,000
Stone	1,500	800	55.0	44,000
Wayne	5,300	4,200	52.4	220,000
DISTRICT IX	40,600	24,000	54.2	1,300,000
STATE	215,000	135,000	56.0	7,560,000

MISSISSIPPI COTTON: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

COUNTY	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Pltd. Acre	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Prod. 480 Lbs. Net Wt. Bales
	Acres	Acres	Lbs.	Lbs.	Bales
Bolivar	76,400	74,900	595	607	94,700
Coahoma	82,700	81,200	613	625	105,700
Quitman	38,100	37,300	612	625	48,600
Tallahatchie	68,600	67,200	656	669	93,700
Tunica	29,500	28,600	556	574	34,200
DISTRICT I	295,300	289,200	613	626	376,900
Benton	7,700	7,600	324	328	5,200
Calhoun	10,600	10,500	512	517	11,300
DeSoto	13,600	13,300	431	440	12,200
Grenada	9,500	9,400	520	526	10,300
Lafayette	5,700	5,600	339	345	4,020
Marshall	18,200	17,700	414	426	15,700
Panola	31,800	31,100	589	602	39,000
Tate	11,400	11,200	455	463	10,800
Yalobusha	8,200	8,100	450	455	7,680
DISTRICT II	116,700	114,500	478	487	116,200
Alcorn	1,080	1,060	309	315	695
Itawamba	1,700	1,670	477	486	1,690
Lee	775	765	279	282	450
Pontotoc	4,100	3,910	392	411	3,350
Prentiss	1,080	1,060	284	290	640
Tippah	1,280	1,260	313	318	835
Tishomingo	585	575	292	297	356
Union	5,700	5,600	438	446	5,200
DISTRICT III	16,300	15,900	389	399	13,216
Humphreys	63,800	62,600	806	821	107,100
Issaquena	6,500	6,400	783	795	10,600
Leflore	86,000	84,500	751	764	134,500
Sharkey	28,600	28,100	856	871	51,000
Sunflower	125,300	123,000	585	596	152,600
Washington	75,000	74,000	822	833	128,400
Yazoo	65,800	64,600	848	863	116,200
DISTRICT IV	451,000	443,200	745	759	700,400
Attala	7,200	7,000	473	486	7,090
Carroll	10,600	10,400	575	586	12,700
Choctaw	1,400	1,370	250	256	730
Holmes	53,700	52,700	804	820	90,000
Leake	1,700	1,680	401	406	1,420
Madison	31,000	30,400	610	622	39,400
Montgomery	6,400	6,300	598	607	7,970
Rankin	7,200	7,000	561	577	8,420
Scott	3,600	3,550	516	523	3,870
Webster	9,200	9,000	579	592	11,100
DISTRICT V	132,000	129,400	664	678	182,700

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1979

COUNTY	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Pltd. Acre	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Prod. 480 Lbs. Net Wt. Bales
	Acres	Acres	Lbs.	Lbs.	Bales
Chickasaw	885	875	344	348	635
Clay 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Kemper 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lowndes	3,420	3,380	458	463	3,260
Monroe	6,800	6,700	624	634	8,845
Neshoba 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Noxubee	1,210	1,190	353	359	890
Oktibbeha 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Winston	1,890	1,870	348	352	1,370
Other Counties	595	585	323	328	400
DISTRICT VI	14,800	14,600	499	506	15,400
Adams	2,000	1,930	581	602	2,420
Copiah	1,230	1,210	617	627	1,580
Franklin 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Hinds	13,200	13,000	658	668	18,100
Jefferson 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lincoln 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Warren	5,400	5,300	787	802	8,850
Other Counties	670	660	322	327	450
DISTRICT VII	22,500	22,100	670	682	31,400
Covington 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Jefferson Davis 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lawrence 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Marion 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Pike 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Simpson 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Walthall 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	500	320	196	306	204
DISTRICT VIII	500	320	196	306	204
Clarke 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Jones 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lauderdale 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Newton 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Wayne 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	900	780	309	357	580
DISTRICT IX	900	780	309	357	580
STATE	1,050,000	1,030,000	657	670	1,437,000

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COUNTY	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Pltd. Acre	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Prod. 480 Lbs. Net Wt. Bales
	Acres	Acres	Lbs.	Lbs.	Bales
Bolivar	93,000	90,000	493	509	95,500
Coahoma	97,000	95,400	597	607	120,600
Quitman	41,900	40,500	634	655	55,300
Tallahatchie	77,300	74,800	624	645	100,500
Tunica	34,500	33,000	577	604	41,500
DISTRICT I	343,700	333,700	577	595	413,400
Benton	7,900	7,700	407	418	6,700
Calhoun	11,800	10,900	529	572	13,000
DeSoto	15,600	15,400	637	645	20,700
Grenada	10,500	10,400	402	406	8,800
Lafayette	4,850	4,700	455	470	4,600
Marshall	20,800	20,400	427	435	18,500
Panola	31,500	30,400	538	557	35,300
Tate	11,500	11,100	572	592	13,700
Yalobusha	8,450	8,000	466	492	8,200
DISTRICT II	122,900	119,000	506	522	129,500
Alcorn	950	920	339	350	670
Itawamba	1,300	1,120	323	375	875
Lee	1,030	740	322	448	690
Pontotoc	3,500	3,150	450	500	3,280
Prentiss	1,160	900	368	475	890
Tippah	1,460	1,400	427	446	1,300
Tishomingo	500	470	408	434	425
Union	5,100	4,600	392	435	4,170
DISTRICT III	15,000	13,300	394	444	12,300
Humphreys	65,800	64,200	584	599	80,100
Issaquena	10,200	10,000	772	787	16,400
Leflore	95,000	92,700	512	525	101,400
Sharkey	33,300	32,800	728	739	50,500
Sunflower	143,000	140,300	487	496	145,000
Washington	87,500	86,100	586	595	106,800
Yazoo	70,500	70,000	683	688	100,300
DISTRICT IV	505,300	496,100	570	581	600,500
Attala	7,700	7,600	455	461	7,300
Carroll	12,200	11,600	484	509	12,300
Choctaw	1,500	1,480	362	366	1,130
Holmes	54,000	52,600	596	611	67,000
Leake	2,640	2,560	465	480	2,560
Madison	34,700	33,600	537	554	38,800
Montgomery	7,480	7,300	497	510	7,750
Rankin	8,000	7,900	690	699	11,500
Scott	3,980	3,960	458	461	3,800
Webster	8,600	8,400	536	549	9,600
DISTRICT V	140,800	137,000	551	567	161,740

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1978

COUNTY	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Pltd. Acre	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Prod. 480 Lbs. Net Wt. Bales
	Acres	Acres	Lbs.	Lbs.	Bales
Chickasaw	2,700	2,590	377	393	2,120
Clay 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Kemper 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lowndes	3,500	3,440	370	377	2,700
Monroe	7,100	6,890	473	488	7,000
Neshoba 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Noxubee	1,900	1,760	505	545	2,000
Oktibbeha 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Winston	2,250	2,170	399	414	1,870
Other Counties	1,050	950	434	480	950
DISTRICT VI	18,500	17,800	432	449	16,640
Adams	4,190	4,050	642	664	5,600
Amite 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Claiborne 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Copiah	1,550	1,480	495	519	1,600
Franklin 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Hinds	16,000	15,800	606	614	20,200
Jefferson 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lincoln 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Warren	8,300	8,250	787	791	13,600
Other Counties	1,160	1,120	368	381	890
DISTRICT VII	31,200	30,700	644	655	41,890
Covington	760	750	474	480	750
Jefferson Davis 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lawrence 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Marion 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Pike 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Simpson 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Smith 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Walthall 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	490	450	255	277	260
DISTRICT VIII	1,250	1,200	388	404	1,010
Clarke 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Jasper 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Jones 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Lauderdale 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Newton 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Pearl River 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Wayne 1/	--	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	1,350	1,200	363	408	1,020
DISTRICT IX	1,350	1,200	363	408	1,020
STATE	1,180,000	1,150,000	561	575	1,378,000

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MISSISSIPPI SOYBEANS: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

County	Planted For All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Bolivar	247,000	241,300	32.4	7,818,200
Coahoma	136,000	132,900	30.3	4,024,600
Quitman	160,000	156,400	28.0	4,381,200
Tallahatchie	151,500	148,200	26.1	3,875,000
Tunica	162,500	158,800	31.1	4,939,800
DISTRICT I	857,000	837,600	29.9	25,038,800
Benton	28,000	27,100	28.5	771,000
Calhoun	67,500	65,300	24.8	1,617,200
DeSoto	70,300	69,600	29.7	2,066,900
Grenada	32,600	32,300	27.7	894,200
Lafayette	28,100	27,200	27.5	749,000
Marshall	45,300	44,800	28.5	1,274,900
Panola	122,800	118,300	24.0	2,838,800
Tate	53,200	52,700	27.4	1,445,700
Yalobusha	25,200	25,000	24.8	619,100
DISTRICT II	473,000	462,300	26.6	12,276,800
Alcorn	52,000	51,000	23.3	1,190,300
Itawamba	28,000	26,900	24.1	649,300
Lee	91,600	89,900	27.3	2,455,400
Pontotoc	80,600	79,100	24.1	1,905,700
Prentiss	66,300	65,100	24.1	1,565,900
Tippah	36,000	35,300	25.5	899,000
Tishomingo	16,900	16,600	27.1	449,400
Union	55,100	52,900	25.0	1,320,300
DISTRICT III	426,500	416,800	25.0	10,435,300
Humphreys	125,100	122,300	29.8	3,642,200
Issaquena	94,600	92,300	33.7	3,114,300
Leflore	178,100	174,200	28.6	4,987,300
Sharkey	160,600	157,100	33.8	5,308,900
Sunflower	176,600	172,500	30.3	5,228,200
Washington	195,100	190,600	32.8	6,247,300
Yazoo	163,900	160,100	32.9	5,267,600
DISTRICT IV	1,094,000	1,069,100	31.6	33,795,800
Attala	27,500	26,400	25.4	670,000
Carroll	34,500	33,900	32.4	1,096,800
Choctaw	10,500	10,300	24.9	256,600
Holmes	81,000	79,600	28.7	2,286,700
Leake	19,500	18,800	32.2	604,900
Madison	77,000	75,700	29.0	2,197,600
Montgomery	20,500	19,700	28.0	551,200
Rankin	22,000	21,300	26.0	554,600
Scott	15,000	14,700	25.8	378,800
Webster	24,500	24,100	26.6	641,500
DISTRICT V	332,000	324,500	28.5	9,238,700

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County	Planted For All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Chickasaw	72,000	70,400	26.2	1,845,100
Clay	65,000	63,600	26.7	1,701,200
Kemper	11,500	11,200	28.9	323,200
Lowndes	75,000	73,300	28.0	2,049,200
Monroe	102,000	98,000	24.1	2,359,900
Neshoba	4,000	3,900	28.4	110,600
Noxubee	118,000	114,200	30.3	3,454,800
Oktibbeha	28,000	27,200	25.8	700,600
Winston	12,000	11,700	28.3	331,600
DISTRICT VI	487,500	473,500	27.2	12,876,200
Adams	40,000	39,000	35.0	1,364,000
Amite	16,500	15,900	31.3	497,700
Claiborne	31,500	30,300	35.1	1,064,400
Copiah	18,100	17,700	25.8	456,400
Franklin	10,500	10,100	28.4	286,900
Hinds	56,400	55,000	32.1	1,767,900
Jefferson	31,000	29,800	33.6	1,002,600
Lincoln	10,500	10,200	28.2	287,900
Warren	42,000	40,700	33.0	1,343,500
Wilkinson	22,500	22,000	29.9	657,800
DISTRICT VII	279,000	270,700	32.2	8,729,100
Covington	16,700	16,300	23.2	378,600
Jefferson Davis	12,100	11,900	29.0	345,600
Lamar	10,500	10,300	24.1	247,900
Lawrence	9,500	9,300	27.4	254,700
Marion	5,800	5,700	29.1	166,100
Pike	9,000	8,800	30.1	265,200
Simpson	15,000	14,700	26.6	391,000
Smith	9,400	9,200	25.8	237,700
Walthall	10,000	9,800	28.4	278,500
DISTRICT VIII	98,000	96,000	26.7	2,565,300
Clarke	8,300	8,000	29.1	232,900
Forrest	9,400	9,300	33.2	309,200
George	21,000	20,300	20.8	423,000
Greene	6,800	6,700	23.4	156,700
Hancock	10,200	10,000	27.5	275,200
Harrison	6,000	5,900	23.9	140,800
Jackson	9,900	9,600	22.3	213,800
Jasper	3,700	3,600	21.9	78,700
Jones	11,000	10,800	27.9	300,800
Lauderdale	2,500	2,400	25.4	61,000
Newton	13,000	12,600	21.3	268,700
Pearl River	25,000	24,600	32.8	807,400
Perry	17,200	16,900	25.5	430,400
Stone	6,000	5,900	29.6	174,800
Wayne	3,000	2,900	24.3	70,600
DISTRICT IX	153,000	149,500	26.4	3,944,000
STATE	4,200,000	4,100,000	29.0	118,900,000

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County	Planted For All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre.	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Bolivar	228,700	223,600	22.0	4,914,100
Coahoma	115,600	114,400	22.7	2,592,400
Quitman	143,900	139,900	21.0	2,936,000
Tallahatchie	133,900	130,500	21.7	2,838,300
Tunica	152,900	148,600	28.4	4,226,800
DISTRICT I	775,000	757,000	23.1	17,507,600
Benton	26,800	26,500	24.0	635,700
Calhoun	65,500	64,800	20.0	1,298,200
De Soto	64,300	63,600	28.1	1,784,300
Grenada	32,200	31,800	19.6	621,800
Lafayette	26,800	26,500	19.2	508,100
Marshall	41,200	40,700	20.9	852,100
Panola	120,800	112,500	20.4	2,295,200
Tate	49,600	49,100	25.2	1,236,700
Yalobusha	24,800	24,500	19.6	479,100
DISTRICT II	452,000	440,000	22.1	9,711,200
Alcorn	50,900	48,400	14.4	695,800
Itawamba	27,500	26,900	16.6	446,800
Lee	89,500	87,800	19.5	1,712,100
Pontotoc	78,800	78,100	16.0	1,250,900
Prentiss	64,100	62,500	16.1	1,004,600
Tippah	35,700	34,400	21.1	724,800
Tishomingo	15,800	15,400	16.8	258,600
Union	52,700	51,500	17.2	886,100
DISTRICT III	415,000	405,000	17.2	6,979,700
Humphreys	120,100	117,000	15.4	1,800,000
Issaquena	92,800	92,000	28.4	2,617,000
Leflore	154,600	152,700	20.4	3,107,700
Sharkey	149,800	148,000	24.6	3,638,300
Sunflower	153,200	150,000	17.9	2,686,300
Washington	190,900	188,600	17.3	3,253,400
Yazoo	153,600	151,700	22.8	3,452,900
DISTRICT IV	1,015,000	1,000,000	20.6	20,555,600
Attala	25,900	25,400	19.6	498,900
Carroll	30,700	29,600	23.6	697,300
Choctaw	7,900	7,600	16.1	122,700
Holmes	73,300	72,200	22.3	1,613,500
Leake	14,900	14,600	24.7	359,900
Madison	67,800	66,600	22.7	1,510,400
Montgomery	15,400	14,900	20.4	303,900
Rankin	19,100	18,700	23.6	441,800
Scott	12,000	11,800	25.8	305,000
Webster	24,000	21,600	20.4	440,600
DISTRICT V	291,000	283,000	22.2	6,294,000

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County	Planted All Purposes	Harv. For Grain	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production For Grain
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Chickasaw	70,900	70,100	19.5	1,365,900
Clay	56,200	55,600	22.1	1,230,800
Kemper	10,500	10,000	23.4	233,600
Lowndes	73,500	72,600	20.3	1,474,400
Monroe	100,800	92,300	16.8	1,551,800
Neshoba	3,800	3,500	19.3	67,600
Noxubee	115,800	113,600	21.1	2,397,000
Oktibbeha	25,200	24,200	16.3	394,400
Winston	8,300	8,100	19.6	159,000
DISTRICT VI	465,000	450,000	19.7	8,874,500
Adams	38,200	35,100	22.5	788,700
Amite	16,200	16,000	29.1	466,200
Claiborne	31,300	30,900	28.0	864,800
Copiah	17,900	16,200	22.9	370,900
Franklin	9,500	9,100	30.5	277,200
Hinds	50,600	49,900	26.9	1,340,500
Jefferson	30,000	29,000	28.0	812,700
Lincoln	10,000	9,000	19.1	171,600
Warren	35,200	34,700	24.3	842,300
Wilkinson	22,100	20,100	23.7	476,900
DISTRICT VII	261,000	250,000	25.6	6,411,800
Covington	15,700	15,000	19.9	298,200
Jefferson Davis	11,400	10,800	26.7	288,300
Lamar	9,400	9,000	22.3	201,000
Lawrence	9,200	8,900	25.7	228,400
Marion	5,500	4,900	28.3	138,600
Pike	8,300	8,000	27.5	219,800
Simpson	14,600	13,900	22.2	308,400
Smith	8,700	8,400	25.0	209,900
Walthall	9,200	8,100	26.2	212,600
DISTRICT VIII	92,000	87,000	24.2	2,105,200
Clarke	7,100	6,900	23.2	159,800
Forrest	8,300	8,200	30.0	246,300
George	20,400	20,100	25.7	516,500
Greene	5,800	5,700	20.8	118,500
Hancock	9,700	9,500	22.7	216,000
Harrison	4,700	4,200	28.0	117,800
Jackson	9,200	9,000	22.3	200,400
Jasper	2,800	2,700	25.4	68,600
Jones	9,200	8,300	23.4	194,100
Lauderdale	1,700	1,600	20.3	32,400
Newton	12,000	11,700	21.3	249,000
Pearl River	21,500	19,000	31.3	594,500
Perry	14,800	14,500	25.6	371,600
Stone	5,000	4,900	28.7	140,800
Wayne	1,800	1,700	20.1	34,100
DISTRICT IX	134,000	128,000	25.5	3,260,400
STATE	3,900,000	3,800,000	21.5	81,700,000

MISSISSIPPI WHEAT: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

COUNTY	Planted For All Purposes	Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Bolivar	18,500	16,500	39.7	655,000
Coahoma	13,000	12,000	34.6	415,000
Quitman	9,000	8,300	33.7	280,000
Tallahatchie	2,000	1,700	29.4	50,000
Tunica	12,500	10,500	33.8	355,000
DISTRICT I	55,000	49,000	35.8	1,755,000
Benton	--	--	--	--
Calhoun	2,300	1,500	26.7	40,000
De Soto	3,800	2,600	30.8	80,000
Grenada	--	--	--	--
Lafayette	--	--	--	--
Marshall	--	--	--	--
Panola	8,500	6,000	29.0	174,000
Tate	5,700	4,500	28.7	129,000
Yalobusha	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	2,700	1,400	26.4	37,000
DISTRICT II	23,000	16,000	28.8	460,000
Alcorn	--	--	--	--
Itawamba	800	500	30.0	15,000
Lee	2,000	1,400	28.6	40,000
Pontotoc	--	--	--	--
Prentiss	--	--	--	--
Tippah	--	--	--	--
Tishomingo	1,400	1,000	27.0	27,000
Union	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	2,300	1,100	25.5	28,000
DISTRICT III	6,500	4,000	27.5	110,000
Humphreys	1,200	1,000	29.0	29,000
Issaquena	1,800	1,400	28.6	40,000
Leflore	2,200	1,800	27.8	50,000
Sharkey	4,200	3,500	27.1	95,000
Sunflower	7,200	6,200	29.5	183,000
Washington	13,000	11,500	35.0	402,000
Yazoo	3,400	2,600	29.2	76,000
DISTRICT IV	33,000	28,000	31.3	875,000
Attala	--	--	--	--
Carroll	--	--	--	--
Choctaw	--	--	--	--
Holmes	3,500	2,500	31.2	78,000
Leake	--	--	--	--
Madison	--	--	--	--
Montgomery	--	--	--	--
Rankin	--	--	--	--
Scott	--	--	--	--
Webster	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	3,500	1,500	26.7	40,000
DISTRICT V	7,000	4,000	29.5	118,000

(--) Counties with less than 500 harvested acres. Included in District and State totals.

MISSISSIPPI WHEAT: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1979

COUNTY	Planted For All Purposes	Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Chickasaw	1,500	700	30.0	21,000
Clay	2,000	1,000	28.0	28,000
Kemper	--	--	--	--
Lowndes	3,000	1,200	30.0	36,000
Monroe	--	--	--	--
Neshoba	--	--	--	--
Noxubee	--	--	--	--
Oktibbeha	--	--	--	--
Winston	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	4,500	1,600	28.1	45,000
DISTRICT VI	11,000	4,500	28.9	130,000
Adams	--	--	--	--
Amite	--	--	--	--
Claiborne	--	--	--	--
Copiah	--	--	--	--
Franklin	--	--	--	--
Hinds	--	--	--	--
Jefferson	--	--	--	--
Lincoln	--	--	--	--
Warren	--	--	--	--
Wilkinson	--	--	--	--
DISTRICT VII	10,000	2,500	24.8	62,000
Covington	1,000	600	25.0	15,000
Jefferson Davis	1,400	700	24.3	17,000
Lamar	--	--	--	--
Lawrence	--	--	--	--
Marion	1,500	600	25.0	15,000
Pike	--	--	--	--
Simpson	--	--	--	--
Smith	--	--	--	--
Walthall	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	2,600	1,100	24.5	27,000
DISTRICT VIII	6,500	3,000	24.7	74,000
Clarke	1,200	700	24.3	17,000
Forrest	--	--	--	--
George	800	500	24.0	12,000
Greene	--	--	--	--
Hancock	--	--	--	--
Harrison	--	--	--	--
Jackson	--	--	--	--
Jasper	--	--	--	--
Jones	--	--	--	--
Lauderdale	--	--	--	--
Newton	--	--	--	--
Pearl River	--	--	--	--
Perry	2,200	1,200	24.2	29,000
Stone	--	--	--	--
Wayne	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	3,800	1,600	23.8	38,000
DISTRICT IX	8,000	4,000	24.0	96,000
STATE	160,000	115,000	32.0	3,680,000

MISSISSIPPI WHEAT: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1978

COUNTY	Planted For All Purposes	Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Bolivar	7,500	6,000	40.5	242,800
Coahoma	5,000	4,400	33.5	147,400
Quitman	3,000	2,600	34.8	90,500
Tallahatchie	2,500	2,200	27.9	61,300
Tunica	9,000	7,800	37.1	289,000
DISTRICT I	27,000	23,000	36.1	831,000
Benton	--	--	--	--
Calhoun	900	600	28.3	17,000
DeSoto	1,800	1,200	32.5	39,000
Grenada	800	500	25.4	12,700
Lafayette	--	--	--	--
Marshall	--	--	--	--
Panola	6,000	4,200	28.3	118,700
Tate	4,000	2,800	28.8	80,500
Yalobusha	800	600	25.5	15,300
Other Counties	1,700	1,100	27.1	29,800
DISTRICT II	16,000	11,000	28.5	313,000
Alcorn	--	--	--	--
Itawamba	--	--	--	--
Lee	--	--	--	--
Pontotoc	--	--	--	--
Prentiss	--	--	--	--
Tippah	--	--	--	--
Tishomingo	--	--	--	--
Union	--	--	--	--
DISTRICT III	2,500	1,500	27.3	41,000
Humphreys	1,000	900	31.7	28,500
Issaquena	1,500	1,400	30.7	43,000
Leflore	1,000	900	28.7	25,800
Sharkey	2,500	2,200	29.9	65,700
Sunflower	1,500	1,400	30.6	42,900
Washington	5,500	5,000	37.5	187,300
Yazoo	3,000	2,700	28.4	76,800
DISTRICT IV	16,000	14,500	32.4	470,000
Attala	--	--	--	--
Carroll	--	--	--	--
Choctaw	--	--	--	--
Holmes	2,000	1,400	26.6	37,200
Leake	--	--	--	--
Madison	1,400	500	26.8	13,400
Montgomery	--	--	--	--
Rankin	--	--	--	--
Scott	--	--	--	--
Webster	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	3,100	1,600	22.8	36,400
DISTRICT V	6,500	3,500	24.9	87,000

(--) Counties with less than 500 harvested acres. Included in District and State totals.

MISSISSIPPI WHEAT: acreage, yield and production - by counties

1978

COUNTY	Planted For All Purposes	Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels
Chickasaw	--	--	--	--
Clay	--	--	--	--
Kemper	--	--	--	--
Lowndes	1,800	600	24.5	14,700
Monroe	--	--	--	--
Neshoba	--	--	--	--
Noxubee	--	--	--	--
Oktibbeha	--	--	--	--
Winston	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	5,700	1,900	22.8	43,300
DISTRICT VI	7,500	2,500	23.2	58,000
Adams	--	--	--	--
Amite	--	--	--	--
Claiborne	6,000	1,900	26.1	49,500
Copiah	--	--	--	--
Franklin	--	--	--	--
Hinds	--	--	--	--
Jefferson	--	--	--	--
Lincoln	--	--	--	--
Warren	2,500	700	24.1	16,900
Wilkinson	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	6,000	1,900	22.9	43,600
DISTRICT VII	14,500	4,500	24.4	110,000
Covington	--	--	--	--
Jefferson Davis	--	--	--	--
Lamar	--	--	--	--
Lawrence	--	--	--	--
Marion	--	--	--	--
Pike	--	--	--	--
Simpson	--	--	--	--
Smith	--	--	--	--
Walthall	--	--	--	--
DISTRICT VIII	4,000	1,500	22.7	34,000
Clarke	--	--	--	--
Forrest	--	--	--	--
George	2,000	900	24.3	21,900
Greene	--	--	--	--
Hancock	--	--	--	--
Harrison	--	--	--	--
Jackson	--	--	--	--
Jasper	--	--	--	--
Jones	--	--	--	--
Lauderdale	--	--	--	--
Newton	--	--	--	--
Pearl River	--	--	--	--
Perry	1,300	700	25.1	17,600
Stone	--	--	--	--
Wayne	--	--	--	--
Other Counties	2,700	1,400	22.5	31,500
DISTRICT IX	6,000	3,000	23.7	71,000
STATE	100,000	65,000	31.0	2,015,000

PEACHES: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

YEAR	Production		Price per Pound	Value of Production
	1,000 Bu. 1/	Mil. Lbs.	Cents	1,000 Dollars
1977	83	4.0	17.0	680
1978	83	4.0	20.0	800
1979	63	3.0	20.0	600

1/ 48-pound equivalents.

PECANS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

TYPE & YEAR	Utilized Production	Price Per Pound	Value of Utilized Production
	1,000 Pounds	Cents	1,000 Dollars
Improved			
1977	6,500	65.0	4,225
1978	6,000	67.0	4,020
1979	1,500	76.0	1,140
Native & Seedling			
1977	4,500	45.0	2,025
1978	4,000	48.0	1,920
1979	1,000	50.0	500
All Pecans			
1977	11,000	56.8	6,250
1978	10,000	59.4	5,940
1979	2,500	65.6	1,640

CUCUMBERS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

YEAR	Area		Yield per Acre	Production	Value	
	Planted	Harvested			Per Ton	of Production
	Acres		- - - - Tons - - - -		Dollars	
1977	4,100	3,600	1.70	6,100	143.00	872,000
1978 1/						
1979 1/						

1/ Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

SWEETPOTATOES: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Area		Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Total Used for Seed1/	Used on Farms Where Grown		Sold	Price per Cwt.	Value of	
	Planted	Harvested				For Seed, Feed & Hshld Use	Shrinkage and Loss			Production	Sales
	1,000 Acres		Cwt.	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.	1,000 cwt.		1,000 cwt.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	
1977	9.0	8.0	85	680	52	89	39	552	9.20	6,256	5,078
1978	9.5	9.0	88	792	50	88	45	659	10.50	8,316	6,920
1979	9.0	8.8	90	792	47	79	44	669	8.55	6,772	5,720

1/ Includes seed purchased and seed used on farms where grown.

IRISH POTATOES: ACREAGE, YIELD, PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

YEAR	Area		Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	1/ Total Used For Seed	Used on Farms Where Grown		2/ Sold	Price per Cwt.	Value of	
	Planted	Harvested				For Seed, Feed & Household Use	Shrinkage and Loss			Production	Sales
	1,000 Acres		Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.		1,000 Cwt.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	
1977	1.4	1.3	90	117	13	25	2	90	5.80	679	522
1978	1.3	1.2	90	108	12	25	2	81	7.00	756	567
1979 3/											

1/ Includes seed purchased and seed used on farms where grown.
2/ Consists of potatoes sold for all purposes, including food, seed, processing and livestock feed.
3/ Estimates discontinued after 1978 crop.

WATERMELONS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

YEAR	Area		Yield per Acre	Production	Value	
	Planted	Harvested			per cwt.	of Production
	Acres		Cwt.	Cwt.	-Dollars-	
1977	14,000	12,000	67	804,000	2.12	1,704,000
1978	13,000	12,000	95	1,140,000	3.21	3,659,000
1979	13,300	11,500	90	1,035,000	3.92	4,046,000

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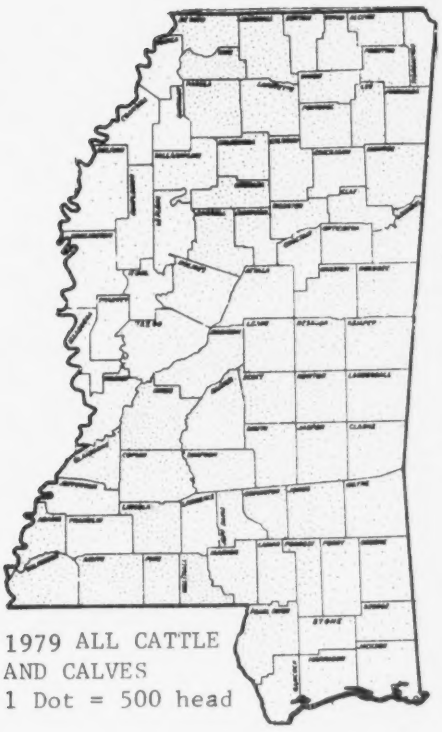
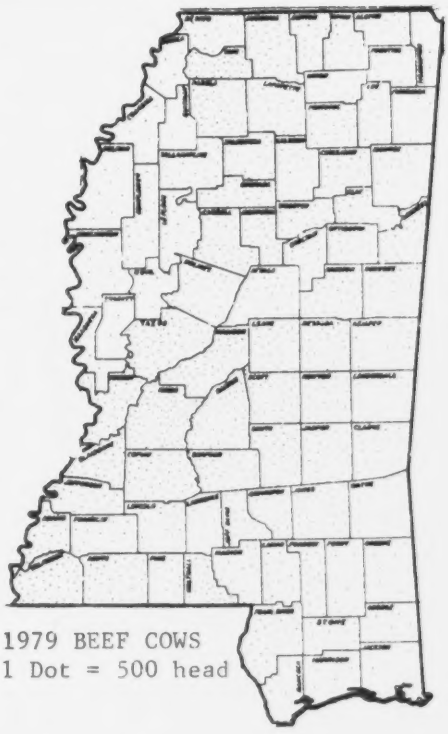


1979 ALL CATTLE
AND CALVES
1 Dot = 500 head



1979 BEEF COWS
1 Dot = 500 head

CATTLE OPERATIONS AND INVENTORY BY SIZE GROUPS

YEAR	Operations With Cattle	1-99 Head		100-499 Head		500 Head and over	
		Operations	Inventory	Operations	Inventory	Operations	Inventory
	Number	- - - - - - - - - Percent - - - - - - - - -					
1977	58,000	91.5	59.5	8.0	30.5	0.5	10.0
1978	50,000	90.4	52.7	9.0	35.5	0.6	11.8
1979	46,000	90.2	51.0	9.1	36.4	0.7	12.6

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER ON FARMS AND VALUE

YEAR	January 1		
	Number	Value Per Head	Total Value
	1,000	Dol.	1,000 Dol.
1977	2,670	155	413,850
1978	2,130	170	362,100
1979	1,790	315	563,850
1980	1,810	405	733,050

CATTLE AND CALVES: INVENTORY NUMBERS, CALF CROP AND DISPOSITION

YEAR	On Hand January 1		Calves Born	In shipments	Marketings 1/		Farm Slaughter	Deaths	
	All Cattle & Calves	All Cows That Have Calved			Cattle	Calves	Cattle & Calves	Cattle	Calves
	- - - - - - - - - Thousands - - - - - - - - -								
1977	2,670	1,440	1,150	20	836	727	12	60	75
1978	2,130	1,210	1,010	20	667	600	8	45	50
1979	1,790	1,053	870	35	389	397	6	38	55
1980	1,810	1,000							

1/ Excludes interfarm sales.

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER ON FARMS BY CLASSES

YEAR	All Cattle and Calves	Cows and Heifers That Have Calved			Heifers 500 Pounds and Over				Steers 500 Lbs. & Over	Bulls 500 Lbs. & Over	Calves Under 500 Lbs.
		All Cows	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	All Heifers	Beef Cow Replacements	Milk Cow Replacements	Other			
	JANUARY 1 - Thousands -										
1977	2,670	1,440	1,325	115	321	246	40	35	101	80	728
1978	2,130	1,210	1,100	110	242	184	28	30	63	67	548
1979	1,790	1,053	950	103	172	125	26	21	50	59	456
1980	1,810	1,000	901	99	204	146	31	27	58	60	488
	JULY 1 -Thousands-										
1977	2,680	1,345	1,233	112	260	182	38	40	91	86	898
1978	2,280	1,179	1,072	107	205	148	30	27	59	71	766
1979	1,980	1,010	912	98	174	129	27	18	57	61	678

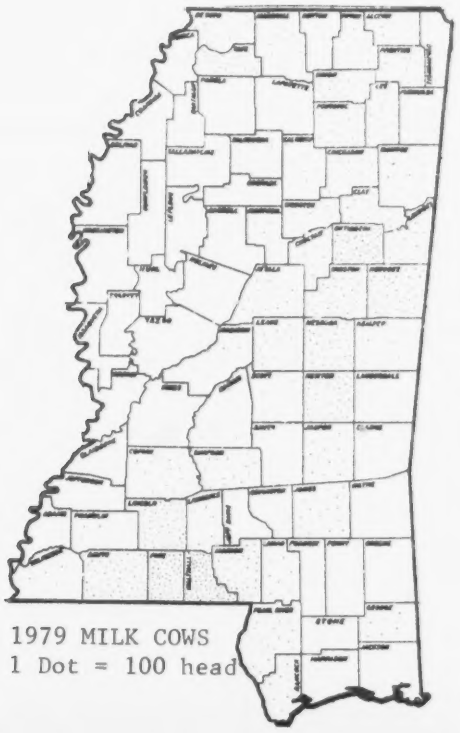
MILK COWS: PRODUCTION OF MILK AND MILKFAT ON FARMS

YEAR	Number Operations With Milk Cows	Number of Milk Cows on Farms 1/	Production of Milk and Milkfat 2/				
			Per Milk Cow		Percentage of Fat in Milk	Total	
			Milk	Milkfat		Milk	Milkfat
		1,000	Lbs.	Lbs.	Percent	Mil. Lbs.	
1977	7,300	112	7,661	282	3.68	858	32
1978	6,300	106	7,887	291	3.69	836	31
1979	5,000	100	8,140	300	3.68	814	30

1/ Average number on farm during year, excluding heifers not yet fresh.
2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

MILK MARKETED BY FARMERS: QUANTITY, PRICE AND CASH RECEIPTS

YEAR	Milk Sold to Plants and Dealers			Milk Sold Directly to Consumers		
	Quantity	Price Per 100 lbs.	Cash Receipts	Quantity Milk Equivalent	Price Per Quart	Cash Receipts
	Mil. Lbs.	Dols.	$1,000	Mil. Quarts	Cents	$1,000
1977	830	10.20	84,660	2.8	39.0	1,088
1978	810	11.10	89,910	3.3	42.0	1,368
1979	790	12.60	99,540	3.7	47.0	1,749



1979 MILK COWS
1 Dot = 100 head

CATTLE AND CALVES: PRODUCTION AND INCOME

YEAR	Production 1/	Marketings 2/	Price per 100 Pounds		Value of Production	Cash Receipts 3/	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
			Cattle	Calves				
	1,000 Lbs.	1,000 Lbs.	Dol.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.
1977	648,130	949,640	28.60	36.70	205,336	295,220	7,474	302,694
1978	539,330	739,810	42.50	59.80	262,172	351,123	7,717	358,840
1979	453,030	465,245	60.20	88.00	315,436	318,882	8,345	327,227

1/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments.
2/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the state.
3/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
						MILK: PRODUCTION BY MONTHS							
						- - - - - - Million pounds - - - - - -							
1977	67	66	76	79	80	76	76	75	68	66	64	65	858
1978	67	64	76	78	79	75	73	71	65	64	61	63	836
1979	66	63	74	76	76	72	70	69	63	63	60	62	814
						MILK: PRODUCTION PER COW, BY MONTHS 1/							
						- - - - - - - - - - Pounds - - - - - - - - - -							
1977	580	570	665	700	720	685	680	670	610	595	575	590	7,661
1978	615	590	690	720	730	700	685	680	625	620	590	610	7,887
1979	640	610	730	750	760	720	710	700	635	640	610	630	8,140

1/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

MILK: FARM MARKETING, INCOME AND VALUE OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

YEAR	Combined Marketings of Milk				Used for Milk, Cream & Butter Where Produced		Gross Income from Dairy Products 3/	Farm Value of Milk Produced 4/
		Average Returns 1/		Cash Receipts from Marketings				
	Milk Utilized	Per 100 Pounds Milk	Per Pounds Milkfat		Milk Utilized	Value 2/		
	Mil. Lbs.	Dollars	Dollars	Thous. Dollars	Mil. Lbs.	Thous. Dollars	Thous. Dollars	Thous. Dollars
1977	836	10.26	2.79	85,748	19	1,949	87,697	88,031
1978	817	11.17	3.03	91,278	16	1,787	93,065	93,381
1979	798	12.69	3.45	101,289	14	1,777	103,066	103,297

1/ Cash receipts divided by milk or milkfat represented in combined marketings.
2/ Computed at average returned per 100 pounds of milk in products marketed.
3/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk plus value of milk used for farm consumption and farm butter churned.
4/ Milk produced on farms valued at average returns per 100 pounds for milk in products marketed. Includes value of milk fed to calves in addition to gross farm income.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
					ICE CREAM: PRODUCTION BY MONTHS								
					- - - - - - - - -Thousand Gallons - - - - - - - - -								
1977	313	335	462	452	478	622	475	497	451	370	299	271	5,025
1978	295	318	426	459	426	587	520	475	452	342	263	259	4,822
1979	335	322	399	393	438	571	479	489	446	367	251	257	4,747
					ICE MILK: PRODUCTION BY MONTHS 1/								
1977	178	209	328	284	395	400	377	342	345	250	211	207	3,526
1978	154	191	275	291	339	401	355	337	303	271	193	200	3,310
1979	190	178	284	271	312	379	315	322	284	239	180	174	3,128

1/ Includes milkshake base.

WHOLE MILK EQUIVALENT USED IN MANUFACTURED DAIRY PRODUCTS

YEAR	Ice Cream and other Frozen Products	Other Milk Products 1/	Total	Duplications	Net Total 2/
		- - 1,000 Pounds - -			
1977	93,424	178,993	272,417	11,167	261,250
1978	89,865	177,181	267,046	10,568	256,478
1979	87,799	77,554	249,538	9,623	239,915

1/ Milk equivalent of other dairy products, including items produced by less than 3 plants.
2/ Net total accounts for fat recovered from condensed milk used in making ice cream.

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY TOTAL, KEPT FOR BREEDING AND MARKET, BY WEIGHT GROUPS

YEAR	JUNE 1						
	Total	Breeding	Market	Market hogs by weight groups			
				Under 60 lbs.	60 - 119 lbs.	120 - 179 lbs.	180 lbs. & over
	Thousands						
1977	380	76	304	149	85	41	29
1978	360	65	295	131	79	53	32
1979	450	81	369	154	101	69	45

	DECEMBER 1						
	Thousands						
1977	420	76	344	148	82	62	52
1978	410	72	338	145	91	54	48
1979	440	70	370	145	97	69	59

DEC. 1, 1979 ALL HOGS AND PIGS
1 Dot = 200 head

TOTAL OPERATIONS WITH HOGS

1977	20,000
1978	19,000
1979	19,000

HOGS: INVENTORY NUMBER, PIG CROPS AND DISPOSITION 1/

YEAR	On Hand December 1 2/	December-May		June-November		Inshipments	Marketings 3/	Farm Slaughter	Deaths
		Sows Farrowing	Pigs Saved	Sows Farrowing	Pigs Saved				
	- - Thousands - -								
1977	420	43	280	40	280	4	434	45	70
1978	410	36	248	39	281	4	448	30	65
1979	440	45	320	44	317	4	506	30	75

1/ Total of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths and on hand end of year equals total pig crops, inshipments and on hand at beginning of year.
2/ All hogs and pigs.
3/ Excludes interfarm sales.

HOGS: SOWS FARROWING BY QUARTERS

YEAR	Dec. - Feb. 1/		Mar. - May		June - Aug.		Sept. - Nov.		TOTAL (000)
	Number (000)	Percent of total	Number (000)	Percent of total	Number (000)	Percent of total	Number (000)	Percent of total	
1977	21	25	22	27	21	25	19	23	83
1978	19	25	17	23	19	25	20	27	75
1979	21	23	24	27	22	25	22	25	89

1/ December of previous year.

HOGS: NUMBER, PRODUCTION AND INCOME

YEAR	Number on Farms and Value, Dec. 1			Production and Income						
	Number On Farms Dec. 1	Value		Production 1/	Marketings 2/	Price Per 100 Lbs.	Value of Production	Cash Receipts 3/	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
		Per Head	Total Value							
	1,000 Head	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Lbs.	1,000 Lbs.	Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.	1,000 Dol.
1977	420	57.50	24,150	103,591	80,828	39.60	41,022	32,008	8,910	40,918
1978	410	73.00	29,930	102,119	90,605	46.80	47,792	42,403	6,571	48,974
1979	440	47.50	20,900	123,566	105,070	42.40	52,391	44,550	5,953	50,503

1/ Adjustments made for inshipments and changes in inventory.
2/ Excludes interfarm sales.
3/ Includes receipts from marketings and from sales of farm slaughtered meat.

HONEY: PRODUCTION

YEAR	Colonies of Bees	Honey Production per Colony	Total Honey Production	Honey Stocks on hand Dec. 15	Beeswax Production
	(000)	Lbs.	(000) Lbs.	(000) Lbs.	(000) Lbs.
1977	59	23	1,357	176	34
1978	52	25	1,300	195	31
1979	49	30	1,470	176	34

HONEY: PRICES AND VALUE

YEAR	AVERAGE PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS PER POUND								VALUE OF PRODUCTION	
	Extracted		Chunk		Comb		All Honey	Beeswax	Honey	Beeswax
	Wholesale	Retail	Wholesale	Retail	Wholesale	Retail				
	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Dol.	(000) Dol.	(000) Dol.
1977	46 2/	90	83 1/		100 1/		58.8	1.62	798	55
1978	53 2/	96	100 1/		120 1/		63.6	1.61	827	50
1979	55 2/	109	113 1/		120 1/		67.6	1.75	994	60

1/ All chunk and comb.
2/ Total bulk plus packaged.

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER BY MONTHS

MONTH	CATTLE			CALVES			HOGS		
	Number Of Head (000)	Average Liveweight lbs.	Total Liveweight (000 lbs.)	Number Of Head (000)	Average Liveweight lbs.	Total Liveweight (000 lbs.)	Number Of Head (000)	Average Liveweight lbs.	Total Liveweight (000 lbs.)
				- - - - - 1978 - - - - -					
January	24.4	843	20,581	3.9	552	2,164	91.3	230	20,968
February	19.7	887	17,478	2.8	593	1,674	64.7	227	14,683
March	22.4	862	19,341	3.2	591	1,899	88.1	230	20,275
April	24.4	851	20,779	2.7	565	1,522	111.4	233	25,947
May	30.6	845	25,907	3.0	582	1,736	114.9	233	26,781
June	30.3	827	25,105	2.4	552	1,349	102.7	234	24,044
July	23.8	839	20,011	2.2	561	1,259	97.3	230	22,383
August	31.9	863	27,558	3.0	549	1,665	114.0	230	26,270
September	27.4	841	23,048	2.5	539	1,351	122.6	231	28,360
October	29.6	868	25,677	3.1	536	1,660	135.4	232	31,472
November	24.5	877	21,449	3.4	559	1,908	141.9	236	33,432
December	15.3	907	13,835	2.0	540	1,071	134.9	234	31,603
Total	304.4	857	260,770	34.4	561	19,257	1,319.3	232	306,217
				- - - - - 1979 - - - - -					
January	19.8	893	17,704	1.8	574	1,047	145.4	230	33,421
February	12.9	937	12,126	1.1	595	661	124.8	228	28,521
March	15.0	915	13,738	1.1	593	670	150.1	232	34,799
April	15.5	884	13,704	1.1	581	612	153.2	235	35,940
May	16.9	876	14,841	1.3	610	804	142.8	239	34,109
June	13.5	880	11,878	1.3	559	750	120.2	238	28,601
July	14.1	891	12,586	1.4	577	784	156.1	234	36,543
August	15.3	897	13,739	1.5	603	887	175.3	230	40,341
September	13.3	899	11,932	1.5	556	818	150.6	233	35,117
October	17.4	888	15,486	2.2	557	1,215	193.1	236	45,588
November	15.3	894	13,711	1.6	549	868	182.7	239	43,681
December	13.4	911	12,169	1.2	508	604	170.3	238	40,465
Total	182.6	896	163,613	17.0	571	9,720	1,864.8	234	437,128

GRADE A DAIRY HERDS - by counties

AS OF DECEMBER 1

COUNTY	1978	1979	COUNTY	1978	1979
Bolivar 1/	--	--	Chickasaw	4	8
Coahoma 1/	--	--	Clay	12	12
Quitman 1/	--	--	Kemper	3	2
Tallahatchie	1	1	Lowndes	7	5
Tunica 1/	--	--	Monroe	9	9
DISTRICT I	1	1	Neshoba	21	21
			Noxubee	35	35
Benton	2	1	Oktibbeha	37	33
Calhoun	3	3	Winston	30	28
De Soto	35	33	DISTRICT VI	158	153
Grenada 1/	--	--			
Lafayette	1	1	Adams 1/	--	--
Marshall	12	11	Amite	73	74
Panola	3	3	Claiborne	1	1
Tate	41	30	Copiah	17	17
Yalobusha	6	6	Franklin	5	4
DISTRICT II	103	88	Hinds	1	1
			Jefferson 1/	--	--
Alcorn	2	2	Lincoln	67	64
Itawamba 1/	--	--	Warren 1/	--	--
Lee	21	20	Wilkinson	1	1
Pontotoc	17	20	DISTRCIT VII	165	162
Prentiss	17	17			
Tippah	12	12	Covington	3	3
Tishomingo	4	4	Jefferson Davis	2	2
Union	22	21	Lamar	6	5
DISTRICT III	95	96	Lawrence	7	7
			Marion	58	56
Humphreys 1/	--	--	Pike	95	88
Issaquena 1/	--	--	Simpson	15	15
Leflore 1/	--	--	Smith	3	3
Sharkey 1/	--	--	Walthall	113	112
Sunflower 1/	--	--	DISTRICT VIII	302	291
Washington 1/	--	--			
Yazoo	1	2	Clarke	2	2
DISTRICT IV	1	2	Forrest	4	3
			George	11	11
Attala	9	7	Greene	1	1
Carroll 1/	--	--	Hancock	13	14
Choctaw	2	1	Harrison	7	6
Holmes	2	2	Jackson	2	2
Leake	10	9	Jasper	16	15
Madison	3	3	Jones	20	20
Montgomery	4	4	Lauderdale 1/	--	--
Rankin	8	8	Newton	48	50
Scott	3	3	Pearl River	32	30
Webster	4	4	Perry	1	1
DISTRICT V	45	41	Stone	5	4
			Wayne	1	1
1/ There were no dairies reported in county.			DISTRICT IX	163	160
STATE				1,033	994

County	All Cattle & Calves	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	Calves Born	Hogs and Pigs
	January 1, 1980			1979	Dec 1, 1979
Bolivar	5,100	3,100	--	2,800	2,000
Coahoma	3,200	1,900	--	1,700	400
Quitman	1,900	800	--	700	5,000
Tallahatchie	13,100	7,400	--	7,000	6,500
Tunica	2,700	1,800	--	1,600	1,100
DISTRICT I	26,000	15,000	200	13,800	15,000
Benton	11,800	6,500	--	6,100	4,800
Calhoun	22,400	11,300	700	10,800	5,400
De Soto	20,400	8,000	2,700	9,700	1,800
Grenada	21,200	10,900	--	9,300	2,200
Lafayette	22,700	12,800	--	11,500	1,600
Marshall	30,600	15,100	2,000	15,800	7,500
Panola	42,600	24,700	--	23,800	3,300
Tate	35,000	17,300	2,900	17,700	4,500
Yalobusha	14,300	7,400	800	7,600	2,900
DISTRICT II	221,000	114,000	10,400	112,300	34,000
Alcorn	14,500	6,100	500	5,900	6,300
Itawamba	14,300	7,100	--	6,200	9,700
Lee	29,300	10,700	2,400	10,700	4,100
Pontotoc	23,000	10,000	2,600	11,300	5,400
Prentiss	18,000	6,100	2,700	8,200	8,700
Tippah	16,800	7,500	1,500	8,400	11,400
Tishomingo	8,500	3,300	500	3,400	13,500
Union	17,600	7,200	2,000	8,000	4,900
DISTRICT III	142,000	58,000	12,400	62,100	64,000
Humphreys	3,400	1,700	--	1,500	1,500
Issaquena	3,900	2,000	--	1,700	400
Leflore	7,200	4,600	--	4,300	3,100
Sharkey	1,900	1,100	--	900	1,600
Sunflower	14,800	8,200	--	6,800	3,500
Washington	9,000	5,000	--	4,700	1,100
Yazoo	38,800	23,400	--	21,000	12,800
DISTRICT IV	79,000	46,000	300	40,900	24,000
Attala	23,500	12,600	1,300	11,800	3,900
Carroll	36,000	20,400	--	18,300	6,100
Choctaw	10,000	5,200	500	4,900	1,700
Holmes	24,000	15,100	--	12,900	4,700
Leake	29,000	14,500	1,900	14,600	7,800
Madison	49,500	27,300	600	22,400	5,700
Montgomery	21,000	11,400	600	9,700	4,200
Rankin	39,000	21,500	800	19,100	12,900
Scott	36,000	21,500	500	19,300	5,700
Webster	16,000	8,500	700	8,000	5,300
DISTRICT V	284,000	158,000	7,200	141,000	58,000

County	Cattle & Calves	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	Calves Born	Hogs and Pigs
	January 1, 1980			1979	Dec 1, 1979
Chickasaw	24,300	12,600	1,200	11,500	15,000
Clay	24,300	11,100	1,500	10,800	5,600
Kemper	27,900	15,500	--	14,100	2,700
Lowndes	21,100	10,500	1,200	10,600	6,700
Monroe	36,500	18,400	900	16,900	16,800
Neshoba	37,100	17,800	3,200	18,000	4,800
Noxubee	37,600	18,500	4,800	20,800	13,900
Oktibbeha	23,600	8,200	5,100	12,400	9,600
Winston	33,600	14,400	3,000	15,900	5,900
DISTRICT VI	266,000	127,000	21,300	131,000	81,000
Adams	11,800	7,400	--	6,000	2,700
Amite	46,400	19,000	5,700	19,800	3,600
Claiborne	22,500	10,900	--	10,100	9,500
Copiah	39,500	20,700	1,500	18,400	4,500
Franklin	10,500	5,200	500	5,000	700
Hinds	82,000	42,800	--	38,200	19,800
Jefferson	15,500	8,900	--	8,100	4,300
Lincoln	36,500	13,600	4,900	16,800	1,200
Warren	23,300	12,900	--	10,800	6,500
Wilkinson	32,000	17,600	500	16,100	2,200
DISTRICT VII	320,000	159,000	14,000	149,300	55,000
Covington	22,500	12,600	--	11,200	2,200
Jefferson Davis	19,000	10,700	--	10,000	2,700
Lamar	17,000	8,400	700	7,500	1,300
Lawrence	12,000	6,300	700	6,400	1,400
Marion	30,000	12,300	3,300	12,600	6,400
Pike	22,500	7,400	5,400	10,300	4,500
Simpson	30,300	15,100	1,700	14,300	5,500
Smith	33,500	18,500	--	17,000	8,600
Walthall	43,200	15,700	8,000	19,800	5,400
DISTRICT VIII	230,000	107,000	20,800	109,100	38,000
Clarke	15,100	8,800	--	8,100	4,900
Forrest	17,000	8,700	--	7,200	1,900
George	8,600	3,800	700	3,600	7,000
Greene	8,900	4,500	--	3,700	4,100
Hancock	5,900	2,800	700	2,800	1,500
Harrison	5,200	2,300	500	2,200	1,300
Jackson	3,000	1,600	--	1,400	2,800
Jasper	27,000	13,900	1,200	12,100	6,500
Jones	33,500	16,800	1,700	16,700	10,100
Lauderdale	20,000	11,100	--	10,200	3,200
Newton	33,600	13,600	4,500	15,400	7,600
Pearl River	32,800	13,300	1,800	13,400	6,500
Perry	9,700	4,500	--	3,900	3,200
Stone	8,700	4,100	--	3,500	3,000
Wayne	13,000	7,200	--	6,300	7,400
DISTRICT IX	242,000	117,000	12,400	110,500	71,000
STATE	1,810,000	901,000	99,000	870,000	440,000

(--) Less than 500 head.

County	All Cattle & Calves	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	Calves Born	Hogs and Pigs
	January 1, 1979			1978	Dec 1,1978
Bolivar	6,800	3,700	--	3,500	2,000
Coahoma	4,000	2,300	--	2,200	400
Quitman	2,200	1,000	--	900	5,100
Tallahatchie	14,800	8,600	--	8,300	6,600
Tunica	3,200	2,200	--	2,100	1,200
DISTRICT I	31,000	17,800	300	17,000	15,300
Benton	11,800	6,800	500	7,000	4,500
Calhoun	22,300	11,800	700	12,000	5,000
De Soto	20,400	8,400	2,900	10,900	1,700
Grenada	20,900	11,500	--	11,100	2,100
Lafayette	22,300	13,500	--	13,300	1,500
Marshall	30,600	15,900	2,100	17,300	7,000
Panola	42,600	26,000	--	25,400	3,100
Tate	34,800	18,300	3,300	20,700	4,200
Yalobusha	14,300	7,800	800	8,300	2,700
DISTRICT II	220,000	120,000	11,200	126,000	31,800
Alcorn	14,100	6,600	800	7,100	5,800
Itawamba	14,200	7,600	--	7,500	9,000
Lee	28,300	11,500	2,500	13,500	3,800
Pontotoc	23,000	10,700	2,400	12,600	5,000
Prentiss	18,000	6,600	2,900	9,100	8,000
Tippah	16,600	8,100	1,600	9,300	10,500
Tishomingo	8,400	3,600	--	3,900	12,500
Union	17,400	7,700	2,100	9,400	4,500
DISTRICT III	140,000	62,400	13,000	72,400	59,100
Humphreys	3,600	1,900	--	1,800	1,400
Issaquena	4,100	2,200	--	2,100	400
Leflore	7,600	5,000	--	4,800	2,900
Sharkey	2,000	1,200	--	1,200	1,500
Sunflower	15,200	9,000	--	8,600	3,300
Washington	9,500	5,500	--	5,300	1,000
Yazoo	41,000	25,500	--	24,300	12,000
DISTRICT IV	83,000	50,300	300	48,100	22,500
Attala	23,500	13,200	1,500	14,300	3,700
Carroll	35,700	21,300	--	20,800	5,800
Choctaw	9,900	5,400	600	5,800	1,700
Holmes	23,700	15,800	--	15,500	4,500
Leake	28,200	15,100	1,900	16,500	7,300
Madison	49,000	28,500	600	28,300	5,400
Montgomery	21,000	11,900	600	12,200	4,000
Rankin	38,500	22,400	800	22,500	11,000
Scott	35,400	22,500	500	22,300	5,500
Webster	15,100	8,900	700	9,300	5,000
DISTRICT V	280,000	165,000	7,500	167,500	53,900

County	All Cattle & Calves	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	Calves Born	Hogs and Pigs
	January 1, 1979			1978	Dec 1,1978
Chickasaw	23,800	13,100	1,100	13,500	14,000
Clay	23,800	11,500	1,500	12,300	5,200
Kemper	27,000	16,100	500	15,800	2,500
Lowndes	20,600	10,900	1,400	11,700	6,200
Monroe	35,500	19,100	900	19,000	15,700
Neshoba	35,800	18,500	3,200	20,600	4,500
Noxubee	36,300	19,300	4,900	23,000	13,000
Oktibbeha	22,400	8,500	5,400	13,200	9,000
Winston	32,800	15,000	3,100	17,200	5,500
DISTRICT VI	258,000	132,000	22,000	146,300	75,600
Adams	12,000	7,800	--	7,500	2,500
Amite	45,500	20,000	5,800	24,700	3,300
Claiborne	22,000	11,500	--	11,100	8,800
Copiah	38,800	21,700	1,500	22,300	4,100
Franklin	10,500	5,500	600	5,800	600
Hinds	81,000	44,800	--	43,400	18,300
Jefferson	15,000	9,300	--	9,000	4,000
Lincoln	36,500	14,300	5,300	18,600	1,100
Warren	23,300	13,600	--	13,000	6,000
Wilkinson	31,400	18,500	500	18,100	2,000
DISTRICT VII	316,000	167,000	14,700	173,500	50,700
Covington	22,000	13,200	--	13,000	2,100
Jefferson Davis	18,600	11,200	--	11,100	2,500
Lamar	16,700	8,800	700	9,100	1,200
Lawrence	11,200	6,600	700	7,000	1,300
Marion	28,900	12,900	3,500	15,800	6,000
Pike	22,000	7,800	5,700	13,000	4,200
Simpson	29,500	15,800	1,800	17,000	5,100
Smith	33,000	19,400	--	19,000	8,000
Walthall	42,100	16,600	8,000	23,600	5,000
DISTRICT VIII	224,000	112,300	21,400	128,600	35,400
Clarke	15,100	9,300	--	9,100	4,500
Forrest	16,800	9,200	--	9,100	1,800
George	8,400	4,000	700	4,500	6,500
Greene	8,700	4,700	--	4,600	3,800
Hancock	5,800	2,900	700	3,400	1,400
Harrison	5,000	2,400	--	2,600	1,200
Jackson	3,000	1,700	--	1,800	2,600
Jasper	26,000	14,600	1,200	15,200	6,000
Jones	33,000	17,800	1,800	18,800	9,300
Lauderdale	19,900	11,700	--	11,400	3,000
Newton	33,200	14,300	4,400	18,200	7,000
Pearl River	32,300	14,000	1,900	15,300	6,000
Perry	9,400	4,700	--	4,600	3,000
Stone	8,600	4,300	--	4,400	2,800
Wayne	12,800	7,600	--	7,600	6,800
DISTRICT IX	238,000	123,200	12,600	130,600	65,700
STATE	1,790,000	950,000	103,000	1,010,000	410,000

(--) Less than 500 head.

CHICKEN INVENTORY: PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND VALUE

AS OF DECEMBER 1	UNIT	1978	1979
FARM CHICKENS: 1/			
Total Number on Farms	Thou.	10,827	10,550
Hens	Thou.	2,685	2,175
Pullets	Thou.	7,717	7,974
Other Chickens	Thou.	425	401
Value per Head	Dol.	1.95	2.05
Total Value	Thou.Dol.	21,113	21,628
Raised 2/	Thou.	8,436	8,000
Lost 3/	Thou.	1,150	1,050
Produced 4/	Thou.	7,286	6,950
Consumed on Farm	Thou.	500	500
Sold	Thou.	7,500	6,727
Pounds Produced	Thou.Lbs.	38,275	38,542
Pounds Consumed on Farm	Thou.Lbs.	1,600	1,600
Pounds Sold	Thou.Lbs.	39,[illegible]00	39,689
Price per Pound	Cents	15.4	17.0
Value of Production	Thou.Dol.	5,894	6,552
Cash Receipts	Thou.Dol.	6,006	6,747
Value of Chickens Consumed	Thou.Dol.	246	272
Gross Income	Thou.Dol.	6,252	7,019
EGGS:			
Average Number Layers During Year	Thou.	7,084	6,900
Eggs per Layer 5/	Number	239	240
Eggs Produced	Million	1,696	1,653
Home Consumption	Million	8	7
Eggs Sold	Million	1,688	1,646
Price per Dozen	Cents	61.1	68.3
Cash Receipts	Thou.Dol.	85,947	93,685
Value of Home Consumption	Thou.Dol.	407	398
Gross Income	Thou.Dol.	86,354	94,083
COMMERCIAL BROILERS:			
Number Produced	Thou.	269,373	276,858
Pounds Produced	Thou.Lbs.	1,050,555	1,079,746
Price per Pound	Cents	27.0	27.0
Gross Income 6/	Thou.Dol.	283,650	291,531
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS FROM EGGS, FARM CHICKENS & COMMERCIAL BROILERS	Thou.Dol	375,603	391,963
TOTAL GROSS INCOME FROM EGGS, FARM CHICKENS & COMMERCIAL BROILERS	Thou.Dol.	376,256	392,633

1/ Does not include commercial broilers. 2/ Does not include young chickens lost. 3/ Loss during the year of the chickens on hand during inventory. 4/ Chickens sold plus consumed in household of farm producers and plus change in inventory. 5/ Number of eggs produced during the year divided by the average number of layers on hand during the year. 6/ Includes consumption in households of producers which is less than 1 percent of total production.

BROILERS: EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED, BY WEEKS

Week Ending	1978 Eggs Set (000)	1978 Chicks Placed (000)
Nov. 26 1/	5,545	5,051
Dec. 3 1/	5,647	5,087
10	5,758	5,073
17	5,731	5,059
24	5,811	5,074
31	5,936	5,192
Jan. 7	5,776	5,240
14	6,002	5,300
21	5,858	5,393
28	5,916	5,254
Feb. 4	5,774	5,485
11	5,951	5,310
18	6,106	5,299
25	6,202	5,255
Mar. 4	6,249	5,393
11	6,361	5,502
18	6,339	5,623
25	6,399	5,707
Apr. 1	6,446	5,776
8	6,544	5,823
15	6,514	5,908
22	6,317	5,968
29	6,554	5,985
May 6	6,553	6,034
13	6,523	5,861
20	6,504	6,041
27	6,462	6,066
June 3	6,429	6,064
10	6,447	5,974
17	6,321	5,933
24	5,590	5,861
July 1	6,341	5,899
8	6,321	5,809
15	5,892	5,119
22	5,934	5,669
29	5,775	5,479
Aug. 5	6,076	5,122
12	6,027	5,229
19	5,868	5,109
26	6,041	5,422
Sep. 2	5,924	5,357
9	5,256	5,266
16	5,718	5,367
23	6,125	5,198
30	5,922	4,849
Oct. 7	6,062	4,965
14	4,795	5,231
21	4,962	5,309
28	6,146	5,444
Nov. 4	6,084	4,316
11	6,048	4,563
18	6,151	5,438
TOTAL	314,033	282,751

Week Ending	1979 Eggs Set (000)	1979 Chicks Placed (000)
Nov. 25 1/	6,056	5,466
Dec. 2	5,959	5,420
9	5,767	5,431
16	5,917	5,404
23	6,061	5,367
30	6,034	5,226
Jan. 6	6,283	5,316
13	6,237	5,323
20	6,377	5,367
27	6,295	5,444
Feb. 3	6,312	5,412
10	6,681	5,479
17	6,573	5,482
24	6,626	5,535
Mar. 3	6,638	5,921
10	6,543	5,864
17	6,636	5,874
24	6,713	5,859
31	6,813	5,830
Apr. 7	6,787	5,918
14	6,846	5,994
21	6,738	6,014
28	6,813	5,995
May 5	6,733	6,034
12	6,830	5,969
19	6,760	6,063
26	6,864	6,022
June 2	6,866	6,039
9	6,859	6,004
16	6,576	6,124
23	5,988	6,122
30	6,773	6,044
July 7	6,538	5,787
14	6,516	5,292
21	6,518	5,863
28	6,487	5,827
Aug. 4	6,371	5,649
11	6,146	5,569
18	5,794	5,729
25	6,066	5,421
Sep. 1	6,236	5,378
8	5,021	5,037
15	5,797	5,247
22	6,174	5,345
29	6,012	4,421
Oct. 6	5,836	4,969
13	4,843	5,259
20	4,727	5,268
27	5,729	5,156
Nov. 3	5,876	4,441
10	6,060	4,282
17	6,063	4,983
TOTAL	326,764	288,285

1/ Previous year

CHICKENS: TOTAL EGGS PRODUCED, BY MONTHS

Year	1/ Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Annual Total
						- - MILLIONS - -							
1977	151	148	132	152	150	153	141	149	152	145	152	150	1,775
1978	157	152	136	151	143	147	139	135	132	130	136	138	1,696
1979	143	140	128	147	144	144	134	138	137	132	136	130	1,653

1/ Dec. previous year.

CHICKENS: EGG PRODUCTION PER HUNDRED LAYERS, BY MONTHS

Year	1/ Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Monthly Average
						- - NUMBER - -							
1977	1,984	1,931	1,761	2,077	2,070	2,148	2,058	2,105	2,074	1,986	2,040	1,968	2,020
1978	2,021	1,978	1,820	2,108	2,055	2,133	2,061	2,034	1,984	1,923	1,941	1,881	1,990
1979	1,962	1,969	1,842	2,102	2,064	2,102	1,962	2,024	2,009	1,932	2,046	1,953	1,997

1/ Dec. previous year.

CHICKENS: AVERAGE NUMBER OF LAYERS, BY MONTHS

Year	1/ Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Average During Year
						- - THOUSANDS - -							
1977	7,604	7,659	7,524	7,319	7,240	7,120	6,869	7,080	7,346	7,294	7,447	7,638	7,345
1978	7,756	7,706	7,481	7,142	6,961	6,883	6,739	6,631	6,645	6,740	6,996	7,328	7,084
1979	7,288	7,125	6,945	6,985	6,992	6,859	6,839	6,807	6,824	6,819	6,665	6,647	6,900

1/ Dec. previous year.

CHICKENS: ALL CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES, BY MONTHS

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Total
						- - - THOUSANDS - - -							
1977	21,982	19,428	23,513	23,774	24,751	23,718	22,689	21,777	21,576	21,210	19,280	21,789	265,487
1978	22,747	20,808	24,035	24,670	25,917	24,677	23,580	22,501	21,499	22,006	20,924	22,844	276,208
1979	23,582	22,373	25,987	25,468	26,520	25,587	24,884	24,132	21,475	22,430	20,891	23,867	287,196

CHICKENS: EGG TYPE CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES, BY MONTHS

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Total
						- - - THOUSANDS - - -							
1977	1,236	1,109	1,391	1,446	1,438	996	1,161	997	905	986	944	866	13,475
1978	1,005	1,178	1,044	1,305	1,421	1,267	1,200	1,051	966	1,052	852	814	13,155
1979	1,077	997	1,253	1,025	1,177	869	1,107	821	1,046	1,100	1,106	1,117	12,695

CHICKENS: BROILER TYPE CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES, BY MONTHS

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Total
						- - - THOUSANDS - - -							
1977	20,746	18,319	22,122	22,328	23,313	22,722	21,528	20,780	20,671	20,224	18,336	20,923	252,012
1978	21,742	19,630	22,991	23,365	24,496	23,410	22,380	21,450	20,533	20,954	20,072	22,030	263,053
1979	22,505	21,376	24,734	24,443	25,343	24,718	23,777	23,311	20,429	21,330	19,785	22,750	274,501

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY MONTHS, 1978-1979 1/MISSISSIPPI

MONTH	Number Inspected		Pounds Inspected (Liveweight)		Average live weight Inspected 2/		Total Pounds Certified (Ready-to-Cook-Wt.)		Post-Mortem Condemnations			
									Pounds (NYD)		Percent 3/	
	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979	1978	1979
	Thousands		Thousand Pounds		Pounds		Thousand Pounds		Thousand Pounds		Percent	
January	20,149	22,480	76,994	88,187	3.82	3.92	56,375	64,192	1,161	1,813	1.68	2.29
February	20,063	20,547	77,108	80,013	3.84	3.89	56,390	58,249	1,131	1,583	1.63	2.20
March	23,437	22,907	90,019	89,582	3.84	3.91	66,326	65,206	1,122	1,592	1.38	1.98
April	20,815	22,316	80,423	86,952	3.86	3.90	58,953	64,497	968	1,522	1.34	1.95
May	24,669	25,156	95,172	98,770	3.86	3.93	69,108	71,439	1,168	1,651	1.36	1.86
June	23,902	22,741	89,475	88,772	3.74	3.90	66,009	63,948	1,226	1,692	1.53	2.13
July	21,940	24,248	82,738	94,108	3.77	3.88	61,659	67,586	1,367	2,063	1.84	2.46
August	25,093	26,336	98,185	100,617	3.91	3.82	72,165	72,981	1,587	2,057	1.81	2.29
September	22,361	21,045	89,272	82,755	3.99	3.93	66,203	59,827	1,468	1,669	1.84	2.25
October	24,133	24,746	96,118	98,333	3.98	3.97	70,982	71,552	1,586	1,707	1.84	1.93
November	21,377	20,746	83,134	80,374	3.89	3.87	61,281	58,867	1,350	1,322	1.81	1.83
December	20,070	19,378	77,881	74,981	3.88	3.87	57,372	54,462	1,259	1,351	1.80	2.01
TOTAL	268,009	272,646	1,036,519	1,063,444	3.87	3.90	762,823	772,806	15,293	20,022	--	--

1/ Young chickens are commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.
2/ Average weight based on unrounded data.
3/ Pounds condemned as percent of equivalent N.Y. dressed weight of quantity inspected. Percentage based on unrounded data.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS: INDEX NUMBER, 1967 = 100

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
						ALL COMMODITIES							
1977	221	234	249	264	265	244	221	208	209	208	206	203	228
1978	207	211	223	238	238	241	236	228	237	241	245	251	233
1979	257	269	274	277	275	276	274	263	260	250	258	259	266
						ALL CROPS							
1977	266	277	305	331	333	300	253	232	233	236	240	231	270
1978	234	228	245	250	257	261	243	240	248	256	260	265	249
1979	264	271	272	274	276	282	282	277	261	259	267	266	271
						COTTON LINT							
1977	251	271	277	285	283	254	246	210	238	218	214	199	246
1978	200	201	210	211	218	228	226	233	229	241	249	249	225
1979	238	233	224	238	240	250	249	246	221	248	249	252	241
						OIL BEARING CROPS							
1977	293	297	345	387	390	351	273	259	240	255	263	254	301
1978	263	245	271	279	291	292	264	258	275	278	280	290	274
1979	296	313	323	316	318	334	324	317	303	272	290	286	308

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS: INDEX NUMBER, 1967 = 100

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
ALL LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS													
1977	164	180	178	178	178	174	181	178	179	171	164	167	174
1978	178	193	198	212	216	220	227	215	224	224	227	234	214
1979	248	267	277	281	273	262	265	248	258	240	248	252	260
MEAT ANIMALS													
1977	135	144	151	154	158	149	151	155	155	150	145	152	150
1978	162	176	193	209	227	222	227	230	236	246	249	259	220
1979	287	314	334	349	347	328	328	311	318	298	290	289	316
DAIRY PRODUCTS													
1977	177	172	167	167	168	170	174	174	182	182	184	182	175
1978	189	189	182	179	181	184	186	189	196	208	210	210	192
1979	215	217	210	205	203	208	210	219	222	231	236	232	217
POULTRY AND EGGS													
1977	182	208	201	200	196	193	205	195	196	184	171	173	192
1978	190	210	208	224	215	227	237	206	219	207	210	216	214
1979	219	233	239	233	231	212	217	193	203	182	207	218	216

MID-MONTH AND SEASON AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY FARMERS

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Season Average
						COTTON LINT (cents per pound)							
1977 1/	61.8	66.9	68.3	70.3	69.7	--	--	49.3	58.7	53.8	52.8	49.0	52.5
1978 1/	49.4	49.6	51.7	52.1	53.7	56.2	55.7	57.5	56.6	59.5	61.5	61.4	60.0
1979 1/	58.7	58.0	55.3	58.6	59.2	61.7	61.4	60.8	56.4	61.2	61.3	62.1	63.3
						COTTONSEED (dollars per ton)							
1977	109.00	107.00	--	--	--	--	--	--	79.00	77.00	77.00	77.00	77.50
1978	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	125.00	122.00	124.00	124.00	123.00
1979	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	134.00	134.00	137.00	133.00
						SOYBEANS (dollars per bushel)							
1977	6.79	6.90	8.15	9.25	9.33	8.32	6.28	6.28	5.63	6.04	6.25	6.02	6.18
1978 1/	6.24	5.78	6.44	6.65	6.97	6.99	6.26	6.10	6.21	6.30	6.35	6.60	6.70
1979 1/	6.75	7.11	7.36	7.20	7.23	7.66	7.40	7.23	6.84	6.17	6.51	6.39	6.25
						SWEETPOTATOES (dollars per 100 pounds)							
1977	11.50	11.00	10.50	10.95	11.05	--	--	9.65	9.10	8.50	9.05	9.55	9.20
1978	9.55	9.90	9.90	9.00	9.75	--	9.10	9.90	9.15	9.10	10.90	11.55	10.50
1979	11.70	11.70	14.10	14.00	15.00	--	--	11.30	10.00	8.50	8.70	8.85	9.50

1/ Price based on sales for entire month.

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MONTHLY AND ANNUAL AVERAGE PRICE RECEIVED BY FARMERS

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
						MILK COWS							
						(Dollars per head)							
1977	530	530	540	535	535	520	515	515	520	535	530	555	530
1978	570	570	570	590	610	610	620	635	650	670	710	740	629
1979	800	880	880	925	955	980	1,000	1,030	1,030	1,040	1,060	1,050	970
						MILK, WHOLESALE, ALL							
						(Dollars per 100 pounds)							
1977	10.20	10.00	9.70	9.70	9.70	9.90	10.00	10.10	10.60	10.70	10.90	10.70	10.20
1978	11.00	11.00	10.60	10.40	10.50	10.70	10.80	11.00	11.40	11.80	12.10	12.20	11.10
1979	12.60	12.70	12.20	11.80	11.90	12.00	12.10	12.70	12.90	13.40	13.70	13.40	12.60
						MILK, WHOLESALE, ELIGIBLE FOR FLUID MARKET							
						(Dollars per 100 pounds)							
1977	10.30	10.10	9.80	9.75	9.80	10.00	10.10	10.20	10.70	10.80	11.00	10.80	10.20
1978	11.10	11.10	10.70	10.50	10.60	10.80	10.90	11.10	11.50	11.90	12.20	12.30	11.20
1979	12.70	12.80	12.30	11.90	12.00	12.20	12.30	12.90	13.00	13.60	13.90	13.50	12.70
						MILK, WHOLESALE, MANUFACTURING GRADE							
						(Dollars per 100 pounds)							
1977	8.50	8.35	8.30	8.35	8.35	8.40	8.45	8.55	8.65	8.70	8.90	8.90	8.50
1978	8.85	8.90	8.85	8.80	8.75	8.75	8.80	9.00	9.35	9.55	9.90	10.10	9.10
1979	10.20	10.10	10.00	9.95	9.95	10.00	10.10	10.50	10.60	10.70	10.80	10.80	10.30

MONTHLY AND ANNUAL AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
						(DOLLARS)							
						BEEF CATTLE							
1977	25.60	27.20	29.10	29.90	30.40	28.30	28.30	28.90	29.30	28.80	28.10	29.00	28.60
1978	30.00	32.50	36.80	41.10	44.40	45.00	44.00	44.00	45.00	47.50	48.20	49.90	42.50
1979	55.50	59.80	64.00	67.00	65.40	61.50	60.10	57.90	59.10	56.90	57.10	56.90	60.20
						CALVES							
1977	32.70	39.40	37.40	38.00	37.90	35.60	35.50	37.00	38.50	36.40	35.60	36.40	36.70
1978	40.70	45.00	49.10	53.00	58.90	58.00	60.50	63.00	65.00	66.00	67.50	72.10	59.80
1979	78.80	88.40	94.70	98.20	96.60	93.60	91.00	88.00	85.00	76.50	80.40	78.70	88.00
						COWS							
1977	22.00	23.90	26.70	25.40	25.20	23.60	23.20	23.50	23.10	22.10	21.70	23.30	23.50
1978	25.00	27.60	30.50	33.60	36.40	34.90	35.30	34.20	35.40	38.20	37.90	39.30	34.20
1979	45.40	50.00	51.10	54.50	55.20	50.00	49.20	48.80	49.60	49.10	47.50	49.00	50.00
						STEERS AND HEIFERS							
1977	29.40	30.70	31.70	34.40	35.50	33.00	33.30	34.30	35.40	35.00	34.00	34.70	33.70
1978	35.20	37.50	43.40	48.90	52.70	54.50	53.00	54.10	55.00	57.10	59.00	61.00	51.30
1979	66.00	70.00	77.50	80.00	76.00	73.50	71.50	67.40	68.90	65.00	67.00	65.10	70.70

* Includes cull dairy cows sold for slaughter, but not dairy cows for herd replacement.

HOGS: MONTHLY AND ANNUAL AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS RECEIVED BY FARMERS
(dollars)

YEAR	1/ Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Average
1977	35.20	36.70	38.60	37.10	35.90	40.70	45.50	45.50	43.70	41.40	40.30	38.50	39.60
1978	42.50	44.70	48.60	47.00	44.60	46.90	47.30	46.30	47.40	47.90	50.70	47.70	46.80
1979	48.10	50.50	52.90	50.20	45.00	43.60	41.00	39.40	37.40	38.50	34.90	36.80	42.40

EGGS: MID-MONTH AND MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICE PER DOZEN RECEIVED BY FARMERS
(cents)

1977	81.8	75.5	78.8	69.4	67.9	60.9	61.6	63.5	64.2	58.5	55.4	60.3	66.4
1978	62.7	56.0	65.1	62.6	61.5	55.7	52.5	57.9	64.4	65.4	61.9	68.5	61.1
1979	74.9	69.3	72.5	74.0	66.4	67.4	62.9	65.1	63.7	68.7	65.2	69.5	68.3

BROILERS: MONTHLY AND MARKETING YEAR AVERAGE PRICE PER POUND RECEIVED BY FARMERS 3/
(cents)

1977	20.0	23.0	25.5	25.5	25.0	25.0	26.0	26.5	25.5	24.5	23.0	22.0	24.3
1978	21.5	24.0	26.0	26.0	29.0	28.5	31.0	32.0	25.5	27.5	26.0	25.5	27.0
1979	26.0	28.0	30.5	30.0	29.0	30.5	28.0	26.0	24.0	24.0	22.0	26.0	27.0

1/ December previous year.
2/ Average for marketing year December 1 through November 30.
3/ Liveweight equivalent.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS: SEASON AVERAGE ONLY

COMMODITY	UNIT	1978	1979
CORN	BU.	2.65	3.00
SORGHUM GRAIN	CWT.	3.85	4.00
WHEAT	BU.	2.95	4.10
IRISH POTATOES	CWT.	7.00	1/
PEANUTS	LBS.	.21	.21
PEACHES	LBS.	.20	.20
HAY (BALED)	TON	50.00	45.00

1/ Estimates discontinued.

PRICES PAID BY FARMERS FOR COMMERCIAL FEED, BY MONTHS

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Average
	DOLLARS PER TON												
	CHICK STARTER												
1977	188	190	192	195	197	200	200	190	185	180	173	171	188
1978	174	172	176	176	175	177	175	179	190	181	181	179	178
1979	180	179	180	181	185	188	200	200	200	200	200	200	191
	BROILER GROWER												
1977	189	190	191	192	192	194	194	184	175	185	182	181	187
1978	181	180	183	187	187	188	188	189	194	192	191	192	188
1979	195	196	197	199	200	200	210	205	205	210	210	210	203
	LAYING FEED												
1977	159	162	165	167	170	172	174	165	149	150	145	146	160
1978	155	152	152	162	163	161	160	164	160	153	154	157	158
1979	158	157	164	166	168	163	169	174	171	171	172	173	167
	DAIRY FEED - 16% PROTEIN												
1977	144	147	144	143	149	148	145	130	125	120	124	132	138
1978	134	132	133	132	129	132	131	128	132	130	137	144	133
1979	142	142	145	145	143	148	156	155	157	162	162	163	152

PRICES PAID BY FARMERS FOR COMMERCIAL FEED, BY MONTHS

YEAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Average
	DOLLARS PER CWT.												
						HOG FEED - 38% OR MORE PROTEIN							
1977	13.50	14.00	14.50	14.50	16.00	16.00	14.50	14.00	13.50	13.00	13.00	13.00	14.13
1978	12.50	12.50	12.50	13.00	12.50	12.50	12.00	12.50	12.50	12.50	13.00	12.50	12.54
1979	12.00	12.50	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.50	14.50	15.00	14.00	14.00	13.50	13.42
						COTTONSEED MEAL - 41% PROTEIN							
1977	11.00	11.50	11.50	11.00	11.50	12.00	12.00	11.00	9.50	8.70	8.80	9.30	10.65
1978	9.30	9.30	9.40	9.60	9.40	9.10	9.10	9.60	9.50	9.90	10.50	10.50	9.60
1979	10.50	10.50	11.00	11.00	10.50	10.00	10.50	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.50	11.50	10.83
						SOYBEAN MEAL - 44% PROTEIN							
1977	12.00	12.50	13.00	14.00	15.00	15.00	14.50	12.50	11.00	11.00	10.50	10.50	12.63
1978	10.50	11.00	10.50	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.50	11.50	11.50	12.50	12.50	11.29
1979	12.00	12.00	12.50	12.50	12.50	11.50	12.00	12.50	12.00	12.50	12.50	12.00	12.21
						MIDDLINGS							
1977	8.60	8.50	8.80	8.60	8.90	8.70	9.00	8.30	8.00	7.80	7.90	8.50	8.47
1978	8.60	8.30	8.80	8.60	8.40	8.60	8.50	8.30	8.30	8.10	8.50	8.90	8.49
1979	8.80	9.20	9.10	8.70	9.00	9.00	9.60	9.90	9.90	9.80	9.80	10.00	9.40
						BRAN							
1977	8.70	8.30	8.00	7.60	8.30	8.80	8.80	8.80	8.10	8.20	8.80	8.40	8.40
1978	8.70	8.10	8.30	8.00	8.20	8.60	9.00	8.60	8.40	8.40	8.40	8.40	8.43
1979	8.70	9.00	9.20	8.80	8.80	9.20	9.90	9.30	9.60	9.70	9.10	9.40	9.23

AGRICULTURAL LABOR

MONTH	JAN.	APRIL	JULY	OCT.
1978				
(Quarterly Estimates)				
No. of Workers (000)				
Family 1/	36	55	54	52
Hired 2/	11	29	41	32
Total	47	84	95	84
Av. Hours Worked (per person)				
Farm Operator	15.0	27.8	25.6	24.7
Other Family 3/	24.4	26.5	33.0	28.3
Hired Workers 2/	28.5	39.5	36.1	41.3
Wage Rates (Dollars per hour)				
Field Workers	2.90	2.51	2.32	2.57
Livestock Workers	2.64	2.86	2.75	2.65
Machine Operators	2.90	2.65	2.69	2.74
Other Agri Workers	4/	3.06	3.42	4/
Supervisors	5.22	4.74	4.40	4/
1979				
(Quarterly Estimates)				
No. of Workers (000)				
Family 1/	42	36	32	33
Hired 2/	12	17	34	39
Total	54	53	66	72
Av. Hours Worked (per person)				
Farm Operator	16.3	20.3	34.2	33.7
Other Family 3/	22.9	21.0	37.1	30.3
Hired Workers 2/	33.7	30.8	32.5	40.0
Wage Rates (Dollars per hour)				
Field Workers	2.63	3.09	2.90	2.70
Livestock Workers	2.62	2.64	3.10	2.95
Machine Operators	3.06	3.37	3.00	2.91
Other Agri Workers	3.70	3.74	4/	4/
Supervisors	6.25	5.66	4.74	5.14

1/ Includes farm operators doing one or more hours of farm work and members of their families working 15 hours or more during the survey week without cash wages.
2/ Includes all persons doing one or more hours of farm work during the survey week.
3/ Includes as "Other Family" only those household members working 15 hours or more per week without receiving cash wages.
4/ Insufficient data for this category.